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Owing to the rigid censorship, details of this engagement are lacking. It is agreed that Brussels has been the objective point of one great German movement.

Paris and London news reports are to the effect that the Germans are already in possession of the Belgian capital.

Special cablegrams to the AMERICAN from Brussels, dated 6 a. m., tell of a great battle raging just east of Brussels. There was heavy cannonading, the sounds "getting nearer."

London experts find, on what news has come to hand, evidence that the German armies of the Meuse and the Moselle have united in Southern Belgium and have thrown a force of 600,000 men against the French, British and Belgian allies.

What has happened or is happening there can only be conjectured, but some theorists in London are regarding the silence of the War Office as ominous.

GREAT BATTLE IN SOUTH BELGIUM

By HERBERT TEMPLE.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Despite the official announcement that an engagement has occurred between German cruisers and British torpedo boats; despite the fact that Brussels dispatches tell of heavy fighting near the Belgian capital, and despite the French announcement of continued success in the invasion of Alsace-Lorraine, the real interest is centred today upon the Ardennes region of southern Belgium and northern France.

It is there that the German armies of Meuse and Moselle are believed to have effected a junction and to have hurled 600,000 men upon the combined French and British armies, but what is actually happening can only be conjectured—the censorship letting nothing through as to operations of the british troops since they landed on the French coast.

Some theorists see significance in the warning issued to the public by the government press bureau to accept with reserve he reports "spread by the enemy." The pessimists are inclined to take this as a forecast that all is not well with the allies, but all they can do is to guess.

REPORT GERMANS OCCUPY BRUSSELS

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The German Herald bulletins a London dispatch saying that the Belgian Chamber of Deputies today permitted the Germans to occupy Brussels.

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By BERNARD BELANCOURT.
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BRUSSELS, Aug. 19.—(6 a. m.)—The sound of heavy cannonading is getting nearer to Brussels. The signs point to a big battle between the Belgians and Germans east and southeast of the capital.

From the incessant roar of the artillery and the concussion, which can be plainly felt here, both sides have big guns in action.

The advance guard of the German army, which left Huy on the Meuse to march upon the capital by way of Jodoinge, is reported to be engaged in battle with the Belgians southeast of Brussels.

The Belgians had thrown up earthworks in the path of the German army, and it was supposed that the artillery of the invaders was lumbering this.

Great numbers of refugees poured into this city throughout yesterday and last night. They reported seeing heavy bodies of Germans, both mounted troops and foot, supported with artillery.

Wilson Nominates McReynolds to Bench

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Attorney-General McReynolds was nominated to the Supreme Court bench today by President Wilson. Assistant Attorney-General Grosscup was nominated to succeed McReynolds as Attorney-General.

Batting Order Today

CHICAGO.	RED SOX.
Weaver, s.s.	Hooper, r.f.
Blackbourne, 2b.	Scott, s.s.
Daly, c.f.	Speaker, c.f.
Fournier, 1b.	Hoblitzell, 1b.
Demmitt, r.f.	Gardner, 3b.
Schalk, c.	Lewis, l.f.
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Berger, 3b.	Cady, c.
FIRST GAME.	
Benz, p.	Wood, p.
SECOND GAME.	
Scott, p.	Leonard, p.

THE HORRORS OF WAR!

Tom Powers outdoes Gen. Sherman in his description.

Here's a sample. For more see Sunday's AMERICAN.

FIND THREE MEANINGS.

One report from Belgium says the Germans were falling back to the north to entrenching themselves in defensive positions against the French, but the Germans were too strong, it is said, and in order to cover the retreat an operation of passing great masses of troops over a large area is

That the invaders were preparing on a line to cover their retreat in case of disaster, or

That the Germans really massed troops as a deterrent in Northern Belgium during critical events elsewhere.

If the last theory is true, the Germans may be planning to leave their right flank a large, unbeaten army. If they were able to capture

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Free Trade Is Not As Sweet As It Sounds

Look at the Price of Sugar, for Instance. It Pays TO ENCOURAGE YOUR OWN COUNTRY

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Occasionally we have pointed out that the free trade idea can be overdone—and had been overdone.

Talk about cheap Argentine beef, and taking off the duty, sounds well.

When the talking ends, you find that you have discouraged the American farmer—and beef is dearer.

It is all very well to talk about free sugar and the poor man's coffee cup, and to take the tariff off the sugar—as this country has done.

But when the talking ends, you find that the American growers of sugar are discouraged, disheartened, with good cause.

Southern cane-sugar plantations are abandoned.

Northern beet-sugar enterprises are given up in despair.

And now the poor man, with his coffee cup and his tea cup, finds that sugar has gone up from two to four cents a pound, and is going higher—because taking off that duty discouraged American sugar growers and made the country dependent on the foreign sugar grower.

This need not be very serious yet. We learn something by the shutting off of the supplies of beet sugar from Germany, and we can perhaps learn some other things.

We ought to know, without the lesson of war or hardship, through increased prices, **THAT IT PAYS TO ENCOURAGE YOUR OWN FAMILY**, keep work in the nation, to arrange for protection from high prices, **TO MAKE YOUR LAWS FOR ALL YOUR OWN CITIZENS**, whether they be farmers who raise cattle, plantation owners who produce sugar, mechanics who turn out skilled work.

After Victory---

What Will the Winners Ask? What Will They Get?

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Sooner or later this war must end—let us hope it will be soon.

So many thousands of millions of dollars can be spent.

So many millions of men can be killed.

When the thousands of millions are spent, and the millions are dead—one side or the other must **WIN.**

What will happen when the dust settles, the blood dries up, and the smoke of powder floats away?

We shall do no guessing as to names of victors.

But one side **MUST** win, and **one** side must lose. Human nature is too brutal, too near the animal, to permit hope of a settlement based on anything but blood and money exhaustion.

If the German side wins—as millions of good German-American citizens hope and believe—what will Germany and Austria want, what will they get?

More money, of course, to start with, more territory.

Probably some arrangement that would permanently weaken the adversary by prohibiting future armaments—what else?

If the French, English and Russian combination wins, what will that combination demand?

France, of course, would call for the restoration of Alsace and Lorraine, taken by Bismarck. And France would demand also the five thousand million francs that Bismarck took—with interest for forty years.

What will England want, what will Russia want?

Russia will want Constantinople—probably—and will not get it.

England, whose diplomats are able, will want a great deal, and ask for it very politely, in the name of liberty and humanity. She probably will not get all that she wants. But if she gets half of what she asks, she will do moderately well.

Long and tiresome will be the treaty negotiations, when the hands of Europe wipe off the blood and take up the pen, when the bull-necked fighter makes way for the man with the thin neck and wide forehead who will do the thinking and the bargaining.

We shall see a changed Europe beyond question when this fighting ends.

What the nations will ask or get, we in this country can only guess.

But this we **KNOW:**

Every nation without asking it will get a blood-letting that will weaken it for years to come.

Every nation will lose in young men more than any amount of money can repay.

Every nation that gets new territory inhabited by hostile inhabitants **WILL BITTERLY REGRET THE ACQUISITION**, for men do not permanently remain slaves politically or bodily.

Every nation engaged in this fight will need new blood, new factories even more than money or land.

Every nation will wish that it had never been cursed with the vast army that made war not only easy but inevitable.

What this nation hopes for the others is **DISARMAMENT, REFERENCE OF ALL MATTERS, INCLUDING THAT MYSTERIOUS AND MYSTIC THING, "NATIONAL HONOR," TO THE SOBER JUDGMENT OF IMPARTIAL MEN.**

The Press Agents Agree with Sherman

By T. E. Powers

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BATTLE RAGING!
YOU'RE FIRED WHERE'S MY STOLEN JEWELS STORY - YOU'RE A FINE PRESSAGENT
I DIDN'T START THE WAR
WAR
BREAD BUY
BREAD LINE
SENIOR EDITOR, COULD YOU NOT PUT A LINE IN YOUR PAPER ABOUT MY WAR IN MEXICO
WE'RE NOT PRINTING THAT LOW TIME STUFF NOW. YOUR WAR IS AN OLD HOME WEEK COMPARED TO THE BIG SHOW
PRESS AGENTS
EDITOR
CARRANZA
HE'S GOT TO DO SOMETHING
PRESS AGENT
FIRST TIME I WAS EVER OFF THE FIRST PAGE
T.R.
WAR
WHY ISN'T OUR NAME IN THE HICKS CORNERS GAZETTE OFTENER?
HEAVY FIRING.
HERE WE KILLED A WHOLE FAMILY AND THE PAPERS DON'T EVEN MENTION MY NAME
THE BUNGALOWS
HARD LUCK

It's tough on the press agents, this war is. They can't get a thing on the front page, and it doesn't console them a bit that Ulster, Doc Cook and the Currency Question are in the same fix.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

Have We Lost Our Punch?

A British cruiser in war paint off the coast, and not a moving picture machine nor an excursion boat to meet her. The old town ain't what it used to be.

Obsolete, but Going Strong

Despite the cables and the wireless, the old-fashioned grapevine carries its full share of war dispatches.

Getting Theirs

Every dog has his day. The next two or three hundred of them belong exclusively to the dogs of war.

We Can Do It if Necessary

It begins to look as if we should have to furnish all the battleships for the Panama parade—with the exception of the Swiss navy, of course.

A Prompt Collector

When nations fall out the grave-digger gets more than his due.

A Letter from Santa Claus

Europe—where nearly all the Christmas toys come from—because of the war is idle, and will send no toys to America for Christmas.

DEAR Children of America: In many a happier year
I've journeyed far across the sea to bring you Christmas cheer.
But now, although I know not why, the folks that fashioned toys
To bring delight at Christmas time to little girls and boys
Have snatched black, wicked rifles up and left the happy town
To hurry to the battlefield and shoot their brothers down.

THE toy shops where they worked and sang no longer throb and hum;
The streets about re-echo to the dreadful martial drum.
And all the leaden soldiers that were only meant for play
Are melted into leaden shot whose mission is to slay.
And they who made the soldier toys shall toil for you no more—
They've left the day of make-believe, and gone to real stern war.

I'M growing old, dear little ones; and yet, deep in my heart,
I still hope men will soon forget war's desolating art.
I still believe that some glad day the magic of your wiles
Will make them walk the ways of peace to win your Christmas smiles.
And when your fair souls triumph o'er the warring hearts of men
I'll whip my happy reindeer up and come to you again.

Almost Inadequate

The Nobel prize of $40,000 will go to the man who ends the war. Inasmuch as he will save the world about fifteen billion dollars, it hardly seems that he will get all that there is coming to him.

A Close Race

War never moves so fast that he leaves Hunger far behind.

An Iridescent Dream

And poor old Vic Hoeta thought he was going to get a vacation from war.

He Came Too Soon

It becomes more and more apparent that Napoleon died before his time.

Attractions of the Future

Many European countries are about to add to their collections of famous ruins.

That Marital Promise to Obey

By Dorothy Dix

A YOUNG woman who is going to be married asks me to define the meaning of the word "obey" as it is used in the marriage ceremony.

She says that she is willing to swear to be loyal, faithful and helpful to her husband, but that she expects him to defer to her wishes and judgment as she expects to defer to his, and that she has no intention of blindly obeying him, so she hesitates to make a vow that she cannot keep. Therefore she wants to know whether the word "obey" is to be taken literally, or merely figuratively, in the marriage service.

The word "obey" has no meaning whatever in the marriage service. It is nothing but a lie which should be eliminated, for it forces a woman to commit perjury at the most solemn moment of her life, and at the moment that she should most intend to keep the vows that she is making.

When the modern girl swears at the altar to "obey" the man she is marrying she has no notion whatever of doing so. Her heart may be running over with love for her husband; she may be giving him a boundless devotion, and pledging him every service of brain and hand, but the one thing that she has no expectation whatever of doing is to obey him.

And the man knows this. Whatever else he expects of his wife, he doesn't expect obedience. He doesn't even aspire to himself the right to be a master to her. She is neither a child nor a slave to be ordered about and subject to his commands.

Why should an intelligent woman, old enough to get married, be made to promise to obey? If she has not sense enough and sufficient judgment to know how to conduct her own affairs, and what to do under the stress of life, her place is not at a man's side in a household, but in some institute for the feeble minded.

If marriage is the right sort of a marriage it is a partnership of a man and woman, who unite their fortunes and their lives, and establish a home. Each partner has everything that he or she has in the world invested in this venture, and both should have the same authority.

When two men go into partnership in business there is no question of one obeying the other. They confer together; they discuss ways and means together, each yields certain points to the other, and in this way they work out a harmonious plan of action.

And this plan prevails in every household that is a success. The wife respects her husband's judgment and follows his advice along certain lines. The husband readily admits that his wife's opinions on certain other lines is of more value and weight than his, but neither blindly obeys the other.

There is a theory that in the old days when women were more subject to men than they are at present, the word "obey" in the marriage service literally meant what it says, and when a woman took that vow upon herself she intended to keep it. I doubt this being true. It has ever been the privilege of the slave to deceive the master, and our meek looking grandmothers probably had their tongues in their cheeks, just as much as we have when they humbly promised to obey the husband they meant to bamboozle while they did as they pleased.

At any rate, the independent, intelligent girl of today is not going to give blind obedience to any man just because he is her husband. She hails from Missouri, and has to be shown that his way is a better way than hers, his judgment clearer than her own, before she accepts it.

The old idea that it was necessary for a woman to venerate her husband as an oracle to prove her affection for him is an exploded myth. A man does not necessarily have to be a Solomon in order to be lovable. Indeed, many of the most sympathetic, agreeable and fascinating men in the world are in no danger of setting the river on fire with their brilliancy, and they have wabbly enough judgments.

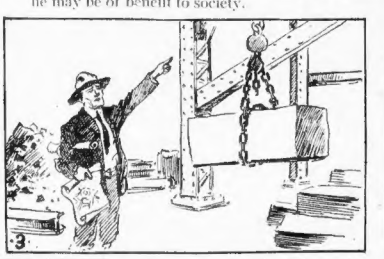
In many a family the wife is the clear headed one who runs things, and she does it without loss of dignity to her husband or loss of affection for him.

In the face of the actual conditions of modern society it is absurd that women should still be made to promise to "obey" men they marry when neither the women intend to do it, nor the men expect them to do it. Undoubtedly it does away with the solemnity of the marriage service for it to be handicapped with this vow which both parties take in a Pickwickian sense.

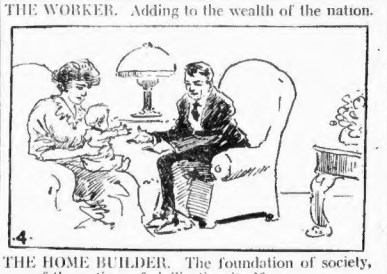
The Six Ages of the Conscript

1. THE BABY. The pride of his parents—the hope of the nation.

2. THE SCHOOLBOY. Developing his mind, so that he may be of benefit to society.



3. THE WORKER. Adding to the wealth of the nation.



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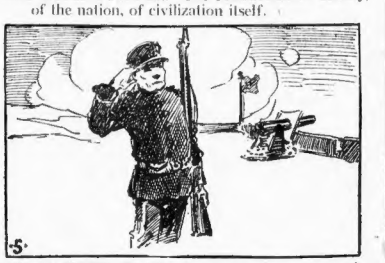

5. THE RECRUIT. Mobilized. Taken from his work, from his home, to fight against fellowmen, taken from their homes and their work.

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U. S. TO OPERATE SHIPS

Reports coming from Belgium today indicate that the most important engagement of the war has been fought or is now in progress and that Germany has won a great victory.

Owing to the rigid censorship, details of this engagement are lacking. It is agreed that Brussels has been the objective point of one great German movement.

Paris and London news reports are to the effect that the Germans are already in possession of the Belgian capital.

Special cablegrams to the AMERICAN from Brussels, dated 6 a. m., tell of a great battle raging just east of Brussels. There was heavy cannonading, the sounds "getting nearer."

London experts find, on what news has come to hand, evidence that the German armies of the Meuse and the Moselle have united in Southern Belgium and have thrown a force of 600,000 men against the French, British and Belgian allies.

What has happened or is happening there can only be conjectured, but some theorists in London are regarding the silence of the War Office as ominous.

GREAT BATTLE IN SOUTH BELGIUM

By HERBERT TEMPLE.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Despite the official announcement that an engagement has occurred between German cruisers and British torpedo boats; despite the fact that Brussels dispatches tell of heavy fighting near the Belgian capital, and despite the French announcement of continued success in the invasion of Alsace-Lorraine, the real interest is centred today upon the Ardennes region of southern Belgium and northern France.

It is there that the German armies of Meuse and Moselle are believed to have effected a junction and to have hurled 600,000 men upon the combined French and British armies, but what is actually happening can only be conjectured—the censorship letting nothing through as to operations of the British troops since they landed on the French coast.

Some theorists see significance in the warning issued to the public by the government press bureau to accept with reserve he reports "spread by the enemy." The pessimists are inclined to aice this as a forecast that all is not well with the allies, but all hey can do is to guess.

FIND THREE MEANINGS.

One report from Belgium that the Germans were falling back in the north and entrenching themselves in defensive positions might mean:

1—That the Germans were preparing a strong front to begin with in order to cover the dangerous operation of passing great masses of troops over a large river, or.

2—That the invaders were throwing up a line to cover their retreat in case of disaster, or.

3—That the Germans really mean to remain on the defensive in Northern Belgium pending critical efforts elsewhere.

If this last theory is true, the Germans may be planning to leave their right flank a large, unbeaten army. If they were able to capture

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REPORT GERMANS OCCUPY BRUSSELS

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The German Herald bulletins a London dispatch saying that the Belgian Chamber of Deputies today permitted the Germans to occupy Brussels.

PARIS, Aug. 19.—A rumor has reached the War Office that the Belgian army is retiring from Louvain and Brussels to Antwerp.

By BERNARD BELANCOURT.
Staff Correspondent of the American.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 19.—(6 a. m.)—The sound of heavy cannonading is getting nearer to Brussels. The signs point to a big battle between the Belgians and Germans east and southeast of the capital.

From the incessant roar of the artillery and the concussion, which can be plainly felt here, both sides have big guns in action.

The advance guard of the German army, which left Huy on the Meuse to march upon the capital by way of Jodoinge, is reported to be engaged in battle with the Belgians southeast of Brussels.

The Belgians had thrown up earthworks in the path of the German army, and it was supposed that the artillery of the invaders was bombarding this.

Great numbers of refugees poured into this city throughout yesterday and last night. They reported seeing heavy bodies of Germans, both mounted troops and foot, supported with artillery.

Wilson Nominates McReynolds to Bench

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Attorney-General McReynolds was nominated to the Supreme Court bench today by President Wilson. Assistant Attorney-General Gregory was nominated to succeed McReynolds as Attorney-General.

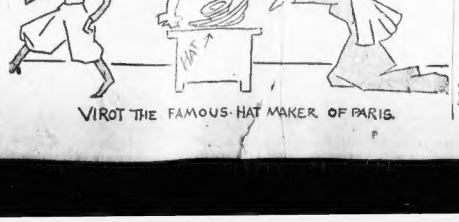
Batting Order Today

CHICAGO.	RED SOX.
Weaver, s.s.	Hooper, r.f.
Blackbourne, 2b.	Scott, s.s.
Daly, c.f.	Speaker, c.f.
Fournier, 1b.	Hobitzell, 1b.
Demmitt, r.f.	Gardner, 3b.
Schalk, c.	Lewis, l.f.
Chappell, l.f.	Yerkes, 2b.
Berger, 3b.	Cady c.
	FIRST GAME.
Benz, p.	Wood, p.
	SECOND GAME.
Scott, p.	Leonard, p.

THE HORRORS OF WAR!

Tom Powers outdoes Gen. Sherman in his description.

Here's a sample. For more see Sunday's AMERICAN.



ADVANCE ALONG ENTIRE GERMAN BATTLE LINE EVIDENTLY IN PROGRESS

CENSORSHIP HIDES MOVEMENT OF ALLIES

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Namur and make it a salty point the position of the allies would be made very unfavorable.

Perhaps the German schedule has been disarranged, but it must be remembered that hurling fourth a million men into a hostile country is a new and unrehearsed experiment.

RAILROADS THREATENED.

The Ardennes is about as difficult a region as the Germans could have got into. It will be difficult for them to operate there without leaving a wide and dangerous distance between themselves and the German forces near Liege.

Furthermore, there is a possibility that the French initiative in Lorraine may force the German general staff to change its plan of campaign. The French advance threatens to sever the junction of railroad communication between the Kaiser's armies and Central Germany.

One mistake—one battle lost anywhere—above the basin of Lorraine—might cost Germany Alsace-Lorraine and prove fatal to the whole system of Prussian government and to the imperial dynasty of the Hohenzollerns.

It may be, therefore, that the general staff now feels compelled to keep the armies in sure touch and according to the original plan of marching through North Belgium in order to concentrate heavier forces for a decisive attempt on the side of Luxemburg and Lorraine.

According to dispatches to the Central News Agency, the Germans opened the fighting east of Liege with a brisk cannonade of the Belgian lines about 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

LONG-RANGE GUNS IN ACTION.

Just before the bombardment began, a refugee train, packed with men, women and children, had left for Brussels.

The Belgian lines were protected with earthworks and barricades and the German artillery began hurling shells against these works. Long range guns were in action and also drop shells into the Belgian ranks, miles in the rear, some of these projectiles bursting in Tirlemont, where extensive damage was done.

After a fierce cannonade, the Belgian lines swept forward and the Belgians moved out to meet them.

Then followed a clash of steel on steel, each side relying on the bayonet. After a hard struggle, says the Central News correspondent, the Germans fell back.

It was indicated that the Germans had massed heavy forces east of Louvain, the headquarters of the Belgian army, in an attempt to push through the Belgian lines at that point or else roll back the Belgian front toward the capital.

HAND OF CENSOR SEEN.

The correspondents in Belgium had attempted to give the result and details, but the hand of the censor was plainly seen.

Louvain lies about half way between Diest and Tirlemont, although about seventeen miles west. Thus it would be about the centre of a battle line extending from Tirlemont to Diest.

A special dispatch to the Express says:

"The enemy (Germans) have pushed forward their troops in a corner between the Belgian and French forces, their aim evidently being to cause the Belgians to fall back on Antwerp. These tactics, however, are dangerous for they expose the Germans to their fall in their object, to a flank attack."

The same dispatch said the main German corps had begun advancing under the cover of attacks made by the advanced forces of the Kaiser's army.

BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS.

It is believed that the British government is sending heavy reinforcements to the continent.

Plymouth is being used as the principal base of transportation operations. Thousands of soldiers are arriving there every day for mobilization.

Meagre dispatches all suffering from censorship have been indicating for the last twenty-four hours that the Germans were throwing a net around Brussels on the south and east.

The German column, which advanced northward from the Meuse in an evident attempt to get between the main body of the French army and the Belgians, proceeded in a wedge shape with the apex aimed at the British capital.

Much of the country around Brussels has been ravaged by flying squadrons of Uhlans. Buried culverts, wrecked bridges and torn up railway lines mark the advance of the Germans. This devastation was accomplished to make it difficult for the allies to cross the same territory.

PLENTY OF AMMUNITION.

Although the Germans were reported to be short of food, they show no lack of ammunition. This has suggested the theory that many of the automobile transports, which ordinarily had been carrying provisions were carrying munitions.

One dispatch from Brussels (dated Tuesday) said the refugees were pouring into the city from the southeast reports of an immense force of German troops advancing followed by long lines of motor trucks.

One descriptive telegram from Antwerp to the Times says: "German prisoners were suffering the pangs of starvation. Many of them had their haversacks stuffed with beets and carrots which they had pulled up from the Belgian fields, these being vegetables having furnished their only source of sustenance for several days.

"On the other hand," says this dispatch, "the commissariat departments of the Belgian, French and English armies are working splendidly."

BRITISH POSITION A SECRET.

The exact location of the British allies is still unknown, but military men believe the main body has been massed in or around the northwestern part of Belgium to prevent an advance into France from that quarter.

The rigorous censorship is making some of the telegrams unintelligible. For instance, one dispatch from Belgium reads as follows, in part:

Belgium, Aug. 19.—The Germans continue ——— to push forward patrols in that part of the country where I know from actual observation the allied forces are ready to receive them. The Belgians and French watch for the Germans as a hawk watches its prey. The damage to the Germans is invariably great. German scouting parties have been seen near Namur. The forts at Maisedi and Dave were engaged for the better part of the day, the former causing heavy toll from the invaders.

The source of this dispatch and the name of the point where the Germans were engaged with the patrols had been deleted. The censor had also brusquely cut out any references to the fact that a fight of any such mention had been made in the original dispatch.

STOPS BOMB THROWING.

A special dispatch to the Daily News says the Germans stopped dropping bombs from aeroplanes into Namur after the Belgian commander sent word that he would shoot 100 prisoners for every bomb dropped into the city. It was said that all the prisoners lodged in the forward aerial attacks were non-combatants.

A Brussels dispatch dated Monday said: "It is learned from the highest authority that the forts at Liege are still holding out, and that they are surrounded by Germans and the defenders are cut off from the French-Belgian field forces."

Three spies, a German and a Belgian man and woman, were shot at Louvain after being found guilty by court martial of acting as information to the Germans relative to the Belgian strength at Haelen.

Belgian army officers pay high tributes to the bravery of the Germans. Officers and soldiers alike, in the ranks of Emperor William's mighty army have fought with high courage and determination. Numbers of German dead were found with more than one bullet wound in their bodies, showing that they continued to fight after receiving the fatal shot.

The war spirit continues strong in England. The recruiting stations of London and other cities are swamped.

War Writer Offers Brand New Riddle

LONDON, Aug. 19.—American war correspondents who came here with the expectation of covering the European conflict are bitterly disappointed over the fact that they will be barred, but one of them suggested the following riddle today:

Q.—What is a war correspondent?

A.—A Brussels airport entirely surrounded by French beans.

German Liner Safe With $500,000 Gems

ROTTERDAM, Aug. 19.—The liner Prinzessin of the German East Africa line was the last German steamship to pass through the English channel. She has arrived safely at Hamburg with $500,000 worth of diamonds from the African fields.

Germans Occupy Mlawa, in Poland

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 19.—An official message from Berlin says that German troops have occupied the town of Mlawa, in Russian Poland. Mlawa is about seventy miles north-northeast of Warsaw.

Roxbury Woman Dies of Burns

Miss Hattie Knapp of No. 6 Burton avenue, Roxbury, died early today at the City Hospital as a result of burns she received when her clothing caught fire from an overturned kerosene lamp at her home last night.

Northampton Trolley Strike.

NORTHAMPTON, Aug. 19.—Local street car service was completely tied up today as a result of a strike of the sixty-five conductors and motormen employed by the Northampton Street Railway Co. The principal demand of the strikers is for a nine-hour day without reduction in wages.

J. R. Williams Heard From.

Joseph R. Williams, a former Bostonian, and for the past three years manager for Maude Adams, the actress, is safe at Nice, France, according to a cablegram. Mr. Williams was abroad with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Saint-Gaudens and Allen Fawcett.

Business Notice.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

HOW THE WAR WOULD LOOK IF SCENE WAS ABOUT BOSTON

A brief perusal of this map will give followers of the great European war a quick, comprehensive idea of the relative distances between points around which the troops of the allies and the Kaiser are now operating. With New York representing Paris as the great objective point in the strife, the distances of the other towns, frequently mentioned in dispatches, are compared with places familiar to AMERICAN readers.

U. S. REFUGEE SHIP TENNESSEE DELAYED

FALMOUTH, Eng., Aug. 19.—The United States cruiser Tennessee, which should have sailed at dawn today for the Hook of Holland on her mission of relieving stranded Americans in Europe, did not depart.

Henry S. Breckinridge, United States assistant secretary of War, in explanation of the delay, said:

"I had expected to receive information from all the European governments promising safe escort for my representatives in conveying treasure from different capitals. I also expected more definite information, through Ambassador Walter Hines Page, from the Continent of Europe as to the exact number of Americans stranded in the various countries. As this has not arrived, I must stay on until it does so that I can instruct my representatives exactly what to do.

"It is impossible to get information by telephone at sea in the war area, and we have been asked not to use our wireless in the far east. Therefore, at once, we should be cut off from everybody, without having perfected our Continental plans. We shall remain here until I receive the information."

The cruiser North Carolina, which anchored in the channel all night, left at dawn for Cherbourg. The Tennessee still communicates with her consort.

American sailors here complain of the high charge for changing their money. They lose 80 cents on each $5 piece.

Cream of Tartar Price Is Soaring

Cream of tartar, like a lot of other household staples, has gone skyrocketing in price. Today cream of tartar was quoted at forty-three cents a pound, an advance of 57 per cent. over the July price. The reason given is that the chief supply comes from France and other wine-making countries, the ingredient that gives its name to cream of tartar biscuits being derived from argol crystals, which are a by-product of wine. Importers will not accept orders in the barrel. The staple is being distributed in small lots only, in order to conserve the few months' supply in this country.

Sweltering Today, but Cooler Tonight

Boston sweltered today as a result of high humidity, the percentage being 90, 20 per cent. above normal. The weather man came to bat with a prediction that it would be fair and cooler tonight, with probable showers tomorrow.

Warren L. Bishop Refuses to Quit

Warren L. Bishop of Wayland, candidate for the Democratic nomination for the State Senate in the Fifth Middlesex District, who was asked to withdraw in favor of former Mayor Patrick F. Duane of Waltham, announced today that he would stay in the race.

Japanese Charter Vessel for Troop Ship

SHANGHAI, China, Aug. 19.—The Japanese government today chartered the Nippon Maru for troop ship purposes.

West End Children's Outing.

Twenty autos carried 100 children from the West End headquarters of the Jewish People's Institute today to Glen Echo Park in Stoughton for an outing.

WASHINGTON ASKED TO AID HUB TEACHERS

Chairman George E. Brock of the Boston School Committee announced today that the committee would appeal to the government at Washington for aid in locating and financially relieving the Boston school teachers who are stranded in Europe. It is believed the Boston teachers who are marooned on the Continent as a result of the war number several hundred—possibly a thousand.

Chairman Brock said:

"It is high time for us to act. There are many Boston teachers abroad. Some are in England. More are on the Continent. The latter are in straightened circumstances.

"It is our desire to help all of them, chiefly however, those in the war zone.

"We do not know where they are. We cannot locate them. Therefore, we are going to appeal for national help. Undoubtedly Washington can give us good assistance in our efforts not only to locate the teachers, but to give them financial help.

"By Saturday we expect to have a complete list of these teachers. We have already appealed to their families to furnish us the names of those who are in Europe."

Say Germans Offer to Quit Tsing-Tao

PEKIN, AUG. 19.—It is reported here that the German minister has approached President Yuan-Shi-Kai with a proposal to surrender Kiao-Chau and Tsing-Tao to the Chinese government. All information is refused at the German legation and confirmation of the report cannot be secured from any official source. If this report is true it will remove the seats for Japan's demands upon Germany.

Mussulmans on the Warpath Again

AVALONA, Albania, via Rome and London, Aug. 19.—Mussulman insurgents set fire to Berat on Monday. They have occupied Fier and are marching on Avalona. The people here are leaving, the international forces having been withdrawn.

Maeterlinck Wants to Fight for Belgium

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The Brussels correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says that Maurice Maeterlinck has asked command of Belgian volunteers he can join. Meanwhile he is assisting in several ways, for which only women and children are left in Normandy.

Austrian Wheat Steamer Captured

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A French torpedo boat destroyer today captured the Austrian steamer Dimrah, loaded with wheat, off the island of Guernsey, according to a report.

ENGLAND FEARS JAPS WILL HOLD KIAO-CHAU

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Japan's virtual declaration of war and her threatened seizure of Kaio-Chau, where Germany has spent more than $5,000,000, is regarded by the entire British press as one of the gravest developments of the war.

Dispatches from Washington published in London state that Secretary Bryan regards Japan's promise ultimately to restore Kiao-Chau territory to China as satisfactory, but the London papers frankly admit that Christian powers when they seize territory for somebody else almost invariably find insuperable obstacles against making the transfer. Egypt is a case in point.

Lord Charles Beresford is quoted as saying that her action is likely to cause embarrassment both to Australia and the United States, because having taken the German port Kiao-Chau, she might also annex the Bismarck archipelago, the Solomon and the Ladrone islands, the German ports of New Guinea and the Samoan Islands.

That would make the Japanese neighbors and co-patters with Australians in New Guinea and with the Americans in Samoa.

Both the Australians and the Americans, Lord Charles thinks, infinitely prefer German settlements and neighbors to the Japanese.

WAR PARTY GAINING ASCENDENCY IN ITALY

By BRIXTON D. ALLAIRE,
Special Correspondent of the American.

ROME, Aug. 19.—Italian hatred for Austria is being manifested by anti-German demonstrations throughout Italy and heavy pressure is being brought to bear on the government to demand an explanation for the massing of Austrian troops on the Italian frontier.

Such a demand would be preliminary to a declaration of a state of war between the two countries. This is expected to come in the near future.

The Italian government has been anxious to keep out of the conflict because of the drain upon its resources caused by the Tripolitan campaign, but indications are that the war party is gaining in ascendency.

Street crowds in Genoa are manifesting anti-German sentiments, and in Messina the shopkeepers refused to sell food to Germans.

Berlin Papers Ask Friendship of U. S.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Members of a party of Americans leaving Berlin were each presented at the station with a packet of twelve Lokal Anzeigers. On the outside of each packet, one of which has come to the AMERICAN'S London office, is written:

"To the returning citizens of the (to us) friendly United States: The enclosed newspapers must serve to destroy the web of lies which a hostile press has spread over us, and give the truth its place of honor."

Then, in still larger type:

"Redistribution for publication in American papers is solicited."

The newspapers in question declare that Germany is everywhere victorious and that American public opinion is favorable to Germany's cause.

Million Foreigners Now in Switzerland

GENEVA, Switzerland, Aug. 19.—There are nearly 1,000,000 foreigners in Switzerland today. There is a plentiful supply of food, but prices are high. Food is coming into Switzerland over all the lines. It was reported today that four Russians, believed to have been army officers, were shot to death at Friedrichshafen, Wurtemburg (Germany).

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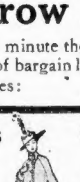

Gray Coats $5
Loose-fitting gray mixture top coats, men's wear serge. Rain-proofed, convertible collar, turn-back cuffs, slashed pockets. Sizes 16 to 44. FOR MISSES AND WOMEN.

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(1) 50% to 50.62 | (3) 25% to 28.12 | (17) 25% to 14.81 | (12) 25% to 8.21
(3) 25% to 41.25 | (17) 25% to 24.37 | (16) 25% to 12.56 | (17) 25% to 8.96

Girls' Wash Dresses 59c
In lawns, flowered crepes, Galateas, linenes, ginghams; mostly with tunic skirts. Sizes 6 to 14 .....

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Mostly in satin striped effects, both long and short sleeve styles. Here two weeks and automatically reduced 25% to .....

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See advertisement of Vocal Department on in American of Aug 23rd

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Boys' Outing Shoes, for camp and knocking about. Were $3.00 and $3.50. Now 1.50
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Odd Lots of Shoes. Were $6.50 to $9.00. Special at 4.00 and 5.00
We have some unusual bargains in Golf Shoes, low and high cut.
$5.50 Golf Boots..... 3.00
$7.50 Golf Boots..... 5.00
$7.00 Golf Shoes..... 5.00
All of our WHITE BUCKSKIN Low and High Shoes in this sale 1.00 PER PAIR REDUCTION.
Substantial Reductions in Women's and Misses' Depts.

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FRENCH, IN HEROIC CHARGES AT DINANT, TAKE CITADEL FROM GERMANS

GAIN HEIGHTS IN FACE OF MACHINE GUN FIRE

By BERNARD BELANCOURT.
Staff Correspondent of the American.

BRUSSELS, via London, Aug. 19.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The story of a French charge at Dinant fit to rank with the bravery of the Old Guard at Waterloo came to hand today in dispatches from the front describing the hard-fought battle at Dinant on Saturday, where the French allies lost heavily.

The French bore the brunt of the fighting at Dinant, where the bloodiest attacks were made on the precipitous slopes leading up to the ancient citadel overlooking the town.

Shortly after noon the Germans seized the citadel and at 1:30 o'clock the black, white and red standard of the German empire was fluttering above the smoke of battle on the crowning heights of the citadel.

Throughout the long, hot afternoon the German infantrymen, sheltered behind the natural ramparts of the heights and supported with one machine gun, poured a steady fire down upon the French in the town below.

ARTILLERY SILENCED.

The German lines along the Meuse began to fall back about 7 o'clock, their artillery having been silenced by the French guns. Only the citadel with its machine defenders was left to take the French lines with its fire.

The citadel rests upon a hill at the southern end of the town, 300 feet high. It is an ancient work of no great military value, but is a difficult position to take because its sides are rocky and steep and the summit can be reached only along narrow paths.

Just before sunset the shrill notes of the French bugles were heard above the din of musketry and machine gun fire. The buglers were giving the signal to charge. With fixed bayonets the French moved forward on the run.

At the foot of the slope they were met with a withering fire which sent the front ranks reeling backward.

Again the shrill blasts of the bugles arose above the roar of battle.

Up along every one of the rocky trails leading to the crown of the hill swept the French soldiers. The rear ranks, using their bayonetel guns to assist them, climbed with painful slowness plunging the points of their bayonets into the hard, rocky soil.

The French battle cry passed from lip to lip and the soldiers plunged onward up the slopes swept with a never-ceasing fire.

The German machine gun had been planted to sweep the broadest approach and a steady stream of fire spurted from its muzzle.

Long afterwards the barrel of this gun was found to be sizzling hot, showing the terrific use to which it had been put.

The paths became blocked with fallen French soldiers, but still the red-trousered lines pressed on, the shrill-cries of defiance rang forth and the hated standard of Germany to gain courage.

DISABLED MACHINE GUN.

The gallantry of the French might have gone to no purpose and their many sacrifices might have been made in vain but for a well-aimed cannon ball which struck the German machine gun, putting it out of commission. Within less than half an hour the French had gained the summit in the teeth of a deadly rifle fire and hauled down the German flag.

The Germans fought desperately, but were outnumbered. They did while the French fired upon them from the heights which they had just been compelled to evacuate.

CZAR IN THE KREMLIN ADDRESSES HIS PEOPLE

MOSCOW, Russia, Aug. 19.—Standing upon a dias in the royal reception room of the great Kremlin Palace, Emperor Nicholas today expressed his gratitude to the people of Russia for the loyalty with which they had responded to their country's call.

Emperor Nicholas, who was accompanied by the Empress, received deputations from the nobility, the Zemstvos and the merchants of Moscow. Among those present were the British and French ambassadors, leaders of the Duma and members of the ministry, headed by Premier Goremykin.

In his reply Emperor Nicholas said:

"At this stormy, warlike hour, which suddenly and against my wishes has fallen upon my peaceful people, I seek, according to the custom of my ancestors, to strengthen the forces of my soul in the sanctuaries of Moscow. Within the walls of the old Kremlin I greet you, the inhabitants of Moscow, my beloved, my ancient capital.

"All my people everywhere in the villages of their birth, in the Duma and in the Council of Empire, have unanimously replied to my appeal and risen with vigor throughout the country, forgetting all private differences to defend the land of their birth and the Slav race. In a powerful, common impulse all nationalities and all tribes of our vast empire have united.

"Russia, like myself, will never forget these historic days. This union of thought and sentiment in all my people affords me great consolation and firm assurance for the future. From here, from the heart of the Russian land, I send warm greetings to my gallant troops and to our brave allies, who are making common cause with us to safeguard the divine-trodden principles of peace and truth. May God be with us!"

The Emperor and Empress were cheered by vast crowds that thronged the streets, and afterward a Te Deum was chanted in the Ushensky cathedral.

CZAR'S PROMISE 'TOO GOOD,' SAYS SCHIFF

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Prominent New York Jews comment variously on the report that the Czar was to grant civil and political rights to the Jews.

Jacob H. Schiff—I like to hear the message, but I am somewhat wanting in faith. It is rather too good to be true.

Abraham Cahan, editor of the Jewish Forward—The sudden declaration of love by the despotic government of Russia to the people it has been trampling upon sounds like a joke. The ukase issued by Alexander II., in 1861, abolishing serfdom of the peasantry, was never kept. The war of 1856 has taught Russia that a nation of slaves does not make a nation of victorious fighters; that the slavery of the people retarded with its development. I am inclined to think that a similar condition exists today.

P. Wiernik, editor of the Jewish Morning Journal—We had a similar experience ten years ago, during the Russian-Japanese war, when belief in Russia's greatness was permeating public opinion everywhere. It took a few real battles, in which the incompetence and cowardice of the Russian forces were disclosed, to impress upon the minds of the civilized world that Russia's so-called greatness was only imaginary. The promise made to the Polish Sunday and to the Jews the following day was only a cry of despair.

AMERICANS IN BERLIN ARE TREATED KINDLY

THE HAGUE, Aug. 19.—One of the most prominent features of the war is the friendship manifested everywhere for Americans. The warbound Americans are being shown every courtesy, not alone in Berlin, but in Munich, Frankfort and elsewhere. The civil authorities have taken the land everywhere in making the involuntary stay of the Americans pleasant. The leading newspapers eulogize Americans, and in their editorial columns urge all Germans to show every consideration and kindness to them.

The offer of the American colony of their church in Berlin for use as a hospital and the statement that the American Red Cross has included Germany in its comprehensive relief plans, has touched every German heart. The American flag and the German standard are entwined everywhere in Berlin. Not alone is this the case with the stores, but it is the rule in private houses, and thousands of Germans are wearing crossed American and German flags on their breasts. The display of American flags is second only to that of Germany, and they outnumber the Austrian. From outward appearances it would seem as though the United States were the third member of the triple alliance.

The Berlin Chamber of Commerce has opened a long list of German families who are willing to take Americans who are without funds to board without cost to them. Many of the hotels announce they are willing to trust Americans who need food or lodging and that they can send the funds when they get back to their homes.

The Hotel Adlon, where fully 75 per cent. of the Americans visiting Berlin stay, is trusting scores of them in Berlin, and is actually advancing money to them on their personal U. S. A. Not only the Adlon is doing this in Berlin, but it has telegraphed money to former guests stranded at Wiesbaden, Marienbad, Karlsbad and elsewhere.

Chief Burgomeister Wermuth is the head of a voluntary committee named to look out for American interests. This committee is taking over property which departing Americans are compelled to leave behind. The American Chamber of Commerce has voted its thanks to the German authorities.

Stories printed in the United States which tell of alleg d maltreatment of Americans by Germans are absolutely without foundation. In the first days of the war a few were caught in anti-English demonstrations, but since then there have been no instances where Americans have received any thing but the most courteous treatment.

MISS MAUD M'MANAMA, the Waltham school teacher who escaped from the European war zone by sheer nerve.

WALTHAM GIRL QUIT EUROPE BY FIGHTING WAY

Miss Maud McManama, Waltham school teacher, quick-witted and resourceful, owes her safe arrival from Europe to this country to her determination not to be balked just because Europe had gone war crazy.

Miss McManama had lost her companions, guide, railroad tickets and most of her baggage, but she kept her head. She fought her way from Paris to Calais, although she had to stand all the way and was without food for forty-eight hours. At her home, No. 162 Summer street, Waltham, the teacher said today:

"Our party paid two weeks in advance at a Paris hotel, but had to get out when all the employes quit to enlist. They didn't even stop for their pay. Jaures, the Socialist, was assassinated in a restaurant opposite my hotel window. That added to the war excitement. With a suit case of clothing I left the hotel with our party. We had become separated and the guide disappeared. I had no tickets.

"At the station I summoned all the nerve I had, walked up to the agent at the entrance to the Calais train and boldly told him that my ticket was with a friend on the train. The guard hesitated—my heart was in my mouth—then he nodded for me to go ahead.

"The train was jammed, with no chance for me to sit down. I stood up all the way to Calais. I did not eat for forty-eight hours. At Calais there was a fearful rush for the boat, but I was used to acting for myself by this time. I got to London and caught a steamer."

ZANGWILL DISCUSSES OFFER OF AUTONOMY

By ISRAEL ZANGWILL,
Famous Novelist and Dramatist.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The report that the Czar is about to give civil and political rights to his Jews will, if confirmed, do much to soften the feelings of those who, like myself, believe an entente with Russia was too high a price to pay even for safety against the German peril.

Nor that the Russians are not a fine people. It is only with the Russian government that civilization has any quarrel. This quarrel is as much on behalf of her Russian as of her Jewish subjects.

The offer of autonomy to Poland, even if it is only a good stroke of business, shows the government is entering upon an era of greater intelligence and learning that dependencies are attached more closely by love than by fear.

The emancipation of the Russian Jews would be felt as an immediate relief in many countries, not only among those Jews who have felt bitterly that the old land of freedom was helping involuntarily to perpetuate the Pale, but among Christians also—for all civilization suffers under the mediaeval survival with its sequel in massacre and emigration.

In Russia there is a colonial field of half of Europe and half of Asia for the energies of six million Jews now cooped up in the province of which they are forbidden even the villages.

REDEMPTION OF POLAND.

Their enfranchisement would indeed be the logical consequence of the redemption of Poland, for how could Russia permit the Jews in her Polish dominion to be freer than in Russia proper?

But there is no logic in Russia, and it is also far from improbable that the Poles, now engaged in a barbarous boycott of their Jews, would be simple enough to imitate Russia and deny them equality.

In that case the Jews now in Austrian and German Poland would lose their hard-won rights, just as the Jews of Khiva and Boyhara lost theirs when these regions were assigned to Russia.

Russian Jews would only assuredly count as human beings if Russia, instead of conquering German and Austrian Poland herself, loses to Germany her German Italian-speaking provinces. In these—and they include the bulk of the Jewish pale—Jews would be seized at the stroke of the rights they have so long valiantly demanded from Russia.

MORE FROM GERMANY.

Is it not tragic that in this instance civilization should have more to gain from militarism than from anti-militarism?

I hope that in the final issue of this cosmic cataclysm England will not be found the catspaw of the powers opposed to her noblest traditions, but that by her insistence of justice and freedom all around she will respectively justify her entente and she's glorious peace in her outlay in armaments, resume her moral hegemony of the world and her old place in the affection of mankind.

BERLIN SAYS LIEGE FORTS HAVE FALLEN

By FREDERICK WERNER.
Staff Correspondent of the American.

BERLIN, via Copenhagen and London, Aug. 19.—An official news agency states that the forts at Liege have been captured by German troops and that the city and its fortifications will be used as a base of operations in the Belgian campaign. It says some of the forts were partly demolished by German artillery, but gives no details as to the fighting or the casualties.

Though all the Americans here are anxious to get out of the war zone as soon as possible there is no panic among them. They are receiving courteous treatment from both civilians and soldiers.

The American Embassy is besieged daily by applicants for transportation from the country. They have been listed and tickets for special trains provided by the government to carry them to Holland are distributed in the order of application.

Accommodations for 400 have been provided on a train leaving today and Ambassador James W. Gerard expects a number of more trains to be provided before the end of the week.

The departing Americans will be accompanied by an attache of the embassy to Rotterdam, where they will be able to secure rooms until the departure of liners for the United States.

The rush at the embassy has almost worn out its staff. Mr. and Mrs. Gerard have had little sleep for two weeks, but they insist in sharing the labors of the staff's members.

Report Germans Killed 7 Italians

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A Rome dispatch to the Star says that travelers arriving from Madgeburg report that 3,000 Italians were arrested there by German troops and that when some of the prisoners shouted "Long live Italy!" their guards fired upon them, killing seven and wounding sixteen.

British Ports Get Big Food Shipments

GLASGOW, Scotland, Aug. 19.—The big shipments of grain, fruits, dairy products, sugar and other foods that have been received at the various British ports during the last week have lessened the food stringency.

HERE'S THE BIG IDEA!

If you are looking for a home, use the most efficient way, and look in the "Apartment to Let" columns of the Boston American.

Report Attempt to Kill German Prince

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—An attempt was made to assassinate Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany on July 31, according to a story sent out today by a local news agency. It quotes Richard Baron, a passenger on the liner Finland, which arrived this morning, as saying that the Prince was shot in the right hip while riding in Unter den Linden. According to the story, two men dressed as clergymen attempted to kill the Prince, but they were arrested immediately.

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Wanted: A Commission to Watch Prices

Editorial from The New York Evening World, August 12th

The "war price" carnival in this country is well under way. Every day dealers in some new commodity cheerfully inform us that their prices are bound to go a-soaring in a month or so.

Automobile tires, champagnes, ostrich feathers and fancy dress goods will increase in cost at the expense of consumers who can stand the raise.

But meat, butter, eggs, tea and coffee are already up. Shoe leather is scheduled for a big advance. Hats, hair-brushes, toothbrushes, clothing and all kinds of canned foods are on the list of common articles that everybody will have to pay more for.

Who is to say when and how far the advance is necessary and just? That articles which have been coming from abroad must bear more now that the supply is cut off anybody can see. But what is to prevent wholesale, unwarranted marking up of prices in all lines by controllers of commodities who think they can get away with it on the war pretext?

WHAT THIS COUNTRY NEEDS AND NEEDS PROMPTLY IS A GOVERNMENT COMMISSION TO WATCH AND REPORT ON ALLEGED WAR PRICES. KEEP THEM WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF ECONOMIC REASON AND JUSTICE.

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$12.50 SILK DRESSES $5.95 — In taffeta and fancy flounced effects, good assortment of sizes, stylish models.
15c TURKISH TOWELS 11c — Bleached, soft and absorbent; 1 yard for 15c.
10c CRASH Toweling 8c — Bleached, not white for hand, roller or bath towels.
15c PILLOW CASES 12½c — Full bleached, fine quality cotton, very soft finish; 42 inches.
35c DRESS LINEN 29c — 48 inches, close grain, heavy weight, firm weave and satin finish; all pure linen.
25c POPLIN 12½c — Silk poplin, 36 inches wide, colorings, plaid effects; all shades.
39c TO $1.50 RATINE SUITING 24c — An assorted lot, 36 inches, up-to-date colors.
$1 LINON SKIRTS 39c — In white, good quality pearl buttons extra length, making.
GIRLS' $9.98 COATS $4.95 — Of fancy mixtures, in light checks and stripes; all sizes; in single sizes 8 to 14 years.
$1.50 P. N. CORSETS 89c — Of batiste, extra long, medium bust, inserting and lace garters attached; sizes 18 to 26.
BOYS' $8.50 to $10 LONG PANTS SUITS $5 — Sizes 14 to 18 years, in fancy mixtures, English and Norfolk styles; just 75 suits in lot.
$7.50 DRESS FORM 4.35 — Hall Bonnet form, adjustable form, steel top, covered.
49c TUSSAHS 29c — Brocaded tussahs, 36-inch, full line of shades.
Children's 59c and 69c ROMPERS 36c — Of percale and linon, in light and dark colors, in plain and fancy patterns, sizes 2 to 6 years.
29c SERGES 19c — In navies, greys, garnet and tan, full pieces, perfect goods.
WOMEN'S 39c HOSIERY 29c — Fibre silk, black only, reinforced sole and toe, extra length and elastic welt, wide garter top.
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CHILDREN'S 12½c WAISTS 7c — Jersey ribbed cotton, double wear, in white and colors.
89c Seersucker Petticoats 47c — In pink and white stripes only; full size.
MEN'S 15c HALF HOSE 9c — Very fine dark, medium weight, double sole and high spliced heel and toe; all sizes.
ANY LOW SHOE IN THE STORE $1.95 — For men, women and children; small lots, odd sizes and discontinued lines; values to $3.50.
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25c CURTAINING 15c — Cretonne materials for every room in the house; some with floral designs, others conventional; also colored linen-effect scrim.
Speedway Special Guaranteed Bicycle $18.95 — List Price $30. Complete with guaranteed motor, frame, enamel & nickelin gwood rims.
$1.35 to $1.50 LINOLEUMS SQ. YD. 74c — Inlaid Linoleums, suitable for large rooms or small rugs; short lengths, remnants of sections.
25c TALCUM POWDER 14c — Jergens' Violet and Rose.
10c DUST CAPS 7c — In a variety of colors, well made.
25c Box of Cocoa Butter Soap, about 3 cakes in box. Box....10c
35c Bottle of Peroxide Hydrogen, about 4 ounce bottle.....18c
35c Cloth Brushes, 29c
25c Chamois, good quality, 19c
25c Hand Brushes, assorted sizes and backs, 19c
10c Pieces Linen-crete Tape, used for bind ing seams, per piece.....10c
10c Spool Silk, 6c
6 spools 25c
25c Spool Linen Finish Thread, for machine or hand use, 2 spools 10c
5c Each Sanitary Handkins. 1 gm. in package. Pkg.....24c
10c Cards Hooks and Eyes, white and black, invisible eyes. Card.....5c
$19 Royal Brussels Tapestry Rugs $12.95 — 9x12 size, seamless and perfect.
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Stomachs Kept Doctor Busy

"An old-fashioned doctor, a number of years ago, told us stomachs kept him busy. And he argued that a more conscientious care of the stomach would practically put his profession out of commission."—*National Food Journal, June, 1914.*

It was a new process of milling that had considerable to do with keeping this old doctor on the jump. This process—which made flour look white and pretty—unfortunately removed nearly all of the really vital mineral elements of the wheat—the invaluable phosphate of potash, etc.

This kind of milling has now become almost universal. Think what it means to deprive the system of these elements which are necessary for its daily rebuilding!

Grape-Nuts
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made of wheat and barley, contains all the nutriment of the grains, including their mineral elements. Many forms of stomach trouble are due to a lack of these elements in daily food; and a regular ration of Grape-Nuts and cream along with other food is admirable to set one right.

"There's a Reason"

BRITISH ARMY TO BE KEPT UNITED IN MARCH ON KAISER, SAYS EXPERT

"BELGIANS CAN HOLD OUT AWAITING ALLIES"

By COLONEL REPINGTON.
British military expert for the London Times and the Boston American.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The British army in France or Belgium will be kept together. When it fights it will fight with all its strength united. Such at least is not unlikely to be the intention, as the northern theatre of war is easiest for us to reach. We may assume that the army will soon be within hail of some historic battlefields well known to us all. The transfer of the Belgian government to Antwerp is entirely in accord with a plan long foreseen.

"CAN HOLD OUT FOR YEAR."

Belgians think that place can hold it out for a year against 300,000 men. Even if it becomes temporarily isolated we need not concern ourselves for its safety.

The Belgian field army is very well placed near Louvain. Only one of its divisions has been heavily engaged. It should be capable of holding up the enemy until friends now hastening to its side come up on the field.

It has the support of the French upon its right and indeed of French corps whose fighting prowess is renowned. It is not conceivable that the Belgians should throw away these important advantages, and at the same time uncover the left of the allies by retiring to Antwerp.

We have no definite news of German doings about Louvain, but I accept the report that the Tenth Army Corps has reached the latter towns.

It is probable that the Germans have not abandoned their intention of throwing an army across the Meuse.

This is a possibility which must continually be kept in view.

Elsewhere forces are either quiescent on the defensive or in retreat. The fight at Dinant appears to have been severe. Here some German infantry have endeavored to cross the bridge of the river for the guard and cavalry division, but the French infantry drove the cavalry back into the river with a heavy loss. The French lost, too, but Dinant remains in their possession.

German attacks have not been very lucky. Their first and fourth divisions were defeated by Belgians at Haelen. Defeat of the guard cavalry follows hard upon other repulses. Reports have been received that the frontier is also the cavalry a good opening, while the ground itself and acres of barbed wire in front of the defenders' position give horsemen a poor chance.

There is no definite news of a their main advance in force at any point in Alsace. The French gain ground everywhere. Near Saales their Tenth Chasseurs a Pied captured the colors of the Oberelsass Regiment.

Guns, wagons, convoys, arms and equipment have also fallen into French hands. What changes there are to record are at present favorable to the allies.

Food Exportation Stopped by Russia

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 19.—The Russian government today issued a proclamation forbidding the exportation of cereals, poultry, potatoes, cattle, etc. Exemptions may be made later in favor of the allies and friendly nations.

Nova Scotia Free of 'War Conditions'

Officials of the Boston-Yarmouth steamship lines declared today that Nova Scotia was entirely free from any "war conditions" which would be likely to affect tourists.

Bulgaria Neutral, England Is Told

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The British government was officially notified today that Bulgaria will remain neutral.

Rally for Reidy.

A rally in the interest of Michael F. Reidy, candidate for the Senate, will be held in the corner of Dorchester avenue and Mt. Vernon street this evening at 8 o'clock.

TO DRIVE DOWN COST OF SUGAR

Grand Jury action against at least one sugar refinery in Boston is threatened today because of the company's defiant attitude toward State officials investigating the war advance in food prices.

The refinery has not attempted to conceal its displeasure and hostility, likewise its desire to suppress facts, according to reports submitted today by State agents to Attorney-General Boynton.

State officers who sought information got little, if any satisfaction. They say barriers were raised against them in the performance of their duty. They report that they were apparently anxious to learn the amount of raw sugar stored at the Federal Dock in Charlestown, why it is there and where it came from. Information has reached the office of the attorney-general that since the hostilities began in Europe fully 600 tons of raw sugar, and perhaps more, has been stored at the Charlestown dock.

FIGHTEST SUGAR PRICE.

Where the State agents endeavored to pry into the history of this precious sugar supply in Charlestown they say they were blocked. They got such stile aid that Assistant Attorney-General Scagrave today hit the trail himself. He is personally to probe every feature of the sugar investigation, and if he doesn't get more satisfaction than the investigators did, prompt Grand Jury action is likely to follow.

The sugar and flour barons have been the most secretive and the most eager to shift responsibility. Flour magnates complained that prices were fixed in New York, Chicago and Minneapolis. One big sugar refinery made the same plea, but the refinery here is reported to be responsible for its own advance in rates.

Miss Anna Steinauer, vice-president of the National Housewives' League, visited the office of Attorney-General Boynton yesterday and protested against paying 9 cents a pound for sugar. Investigation showed that in certain fashionable sections the retail price of sugar jumped a cent a pound since Saturday, although there was not the slightest cause for the advance. The market quotation was 5 cents retail, as on Saturday.

FEAR OF BOYCOTT.

This variance in the retail price raises the suspicion that perhaps some of the profiteers in one to refiners. However, small storekeepers have informed the State investigators that if they were to sell sugar below the price quoted they would be boycotted. This feature of the situation is being carefully inquired into.

So-called "pink" sugar jumped yesterday from 14 to 16 cents a pound. This is a sugar confection used to sprinkle on cake, cookies and candies. It resembles pink granulated sugar. Rock candy went up from 16 to 20 cents a pound. No other candies have yet been boosted, but they are daily expected to advance in a substantial degree owing to the inflated condition of the sugar market.

Dutch cheese went up 5 cents a pound yesterday and tapioca from 7 to 8 cents a pound. Other commodities remained stationary. English gins and whiskies are today reported to be easing off a shade in price, owing to the steadier commerce between here and England. All other imported foodstuffs and liquor are holding war prices. Reports that flour had been reduced 25 cents a barrel may be true, but it was next to impossible to find a store where there was any falling off in retail price from last week.

F. S. OFFICERS AT WORK.

Meats are about the same. The great abundance of fruit and vegetables at reasonable prices might well be taken advantage of by housekeepers.

Since Attorney-General Boynton conferred with United States District Attorney Peach yesterday, State and federal officials have been working jointly and much data has been turned over to the federal officials by the State agents. Assistant United States District Attorney Daniel A. Shea is devoting much time to the federal inquiry. Special Agent Howard of the Department of Justice has forwarded a preliminary report to Washington.

Local cold storage plants were found to contain only a normal supply of foodstuffs and nothing to suggest a "cornering" of any commodity.

German Gunboat Disarms in China

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A Reuter dispatch from Rome says the German gunboat Vaterland, 160 tons, has been compelled to disarm at Nanking, China.

Russia's Demand to Turkey Denied

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A Reuter dispatch from St. Petersburg says denial has been given out there of a Vienna report that Russia had demanded of Turkey free passage for Russian warships through the Dardanelles.

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Many attractive styles in ¾ and ½ lengths, all handsomely lined with finest peau de cygne or dresden lining; beautifully made, showing all the new attractive styles; semi-belt or circular gored effects, with full sleeves and large attractive belts. Mostly one of a kind to select from $10.00

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$7.50 to $12.50 Gowns for $5.00
A large variety of styles to select from in many beautiful combinations, showing long Russian tunic and daintily trimmed with black velvet girdle; others in plain white voile attractively trimmed with lace or lingerie collars.....$5.00

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Made with smart convertible collars, set-in sleeves, double breasted, large novelty buttons, semi-belt effect; some attractively trimmed with contrasting collars and cuffs; in either heavy crash linen or lustrous mohair $3.95

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Many handsome styles—in chiffon, taffeta, in plain or changeable—soft charmeuse—or crepe de chine—all handsomely trimmed with shadow or spider web laces—in tunic or long model, showing all the dainty Summer shades—also smart linen dresses.....$7.50

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A beautiful assortment of women's silk gowns, showing new style tunics, bodice cut full with soft crossed girdle, attractive skirts in many beautiful styles. Many smart lingerie and hand-embroidered voiles will be in this lot. You will find some of the season's smartest styles here at this price.....$11.00

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It means $5 to $15 extra on each tire you buy. It means one-third more tire upkeep—unless they are better tires.

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WEEP FOR JOY ON FINLAND AS NEW YORK IS SIGHTED

1082 REFUGEES COME ON RED STAR LINER

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Ten hundred and eighty-two more refugees from the European war zone, most of them Americans, arrived here today on board the Red Star liner Finland. It was an exciting voyage, with the liner being held up repeatedly by British warships, and some of the passengers wept for joy when they saw the Statue of Liberty looming up through the mist at the gateway of New York.

The Finland was delayed in getting away from Antwerp, which port she left on August 8.

The master of the ship had been warned that the lighthouses had been darkened and that the coast was heavily mined, so that progress was cautious and tedious after the ship finally did get under way. The main channel into the North Sea could not be used, as it was obstructed with the wreck of a Norwegian steamer which had been sunk by a mine.

After leaving the ballast tanks pumped out the captain of the Finland sent her through one of the smaller channels.

All the way to Dover, where 150 more Americans boarded the vessel, the Finland was repeatedly "overhauled and stopped by English men-of-war. The vessel could not communicate with the shore or any other ships, as her wireless equipment had been removed by the authorities before she steamed from Antwerp.

After leaving Dover the Finland continued to be held up by British cruisers until she cleared Land's End. Thence Yale had an uninterrupted passage across the Atlantic, but when off Nantucket Lightship the familiar gray, squatty form of a warship again loomed up.

ALLOWED TO PROCEED.

This man-of-war proved to be a British sloop looking for prizes. The Finland was allowed to proceed, but just east of Ambrose Channel Lightship at the entrance to New York harbor the liner was again held up by an English warship.

On board the Finland were 252 first class passengers, 215 second class and 615 steerage. Most of the refugees were penniless and without baggage. Nearly all of them had thrilling stories to tell.

Among the passengers were some Germans who had sailed from the United States, but had been ordered expelled from Belgium after reaching that country.

Among the first class passengers was M. Deltary, Belgian agent for the North German Lloyd line at Antwerp, who, with his family, had been expelled from Belgium.

There were many happy reunions at the Red Star pier.

One of the most graphic stories was brought back by James A. Patten, the Chicago "wheat king," who, with Mrs. Patten, was in Carlsbad when the war broke out.

"I'm tired of Europe," said Mr. Patten. "Carlsbad and the war has cured me of my ailments I may have thought I had.

GREAT SCARCITY OF FOOD.

"The scarcity of food in Germany is appalling and I doubt if the food supply there will hold out much longer than two months. Americans caught in Germany were in terrible straits.

"They were not only exposed to financial difficulties, but to perils of bodily injury. They may be taken for English and that is certain to get them into trouble.

"We left Carlsbad by automobile, and on arriving at Nuremburg I was placed under arrest. But for our chauffeur, my wife and myself would probably have been thrown into jail.

"On August 4 we caught a train for Cologne, but the train was stopped by troops and we had to get out at a small town named Herbestahl on the Belgian border. It was raining hard and our only shelter was a small saloon, where I was able to secure a bottle of beer and three slices of bread, the only food we had had in three days.

WARNED OFF ROAD.

"The next morning I secured a horse and wagon and started to find a train to take us to Liege. We did not get very far before we had to get out. Then I hired another horse and a cart. As we moved slowly along we met thousands of Germans along the road.

"Finally we came to a highway and were about to turn into it when some one gave a warning shout.

"'Don't go into that road; it is mined,' was the advice given us.

"We heard that 3,000 persons were blown up on that road the next day. We also heard that Americans, who had taken a road along which fighting was going forward, were compelled to lie down in a ditch for self-protection while the battle raged over them. After the fight they were allowed to proceed. When we finally got to Liege there was skirmishing all around and we could hear firing on all sides. We were told to get out at once, so we started for Brussels, which city we reached the next day. Then we got to Antwerp, where Consul Whitlock was distinguishing himself by his splendid services in behalf of the Americans stranded there.

ABANDONED LIMOUSINE.

"It was almost impossible to secure supplies in the zone. I heard that at Frankfort one American had offered $50 for a gallon of gasoline, and that, on being unable to get it, he abandoned his magnificent limousine in the roadway and made for the nearest railway station.

"Near Herbestahl we fell in with two young Americans and took them into our party."

It was rumored on the boat that Mr. Patten had paid the passage of the nine stranded Americans.

Another refugee was E. H. Weeks, Jr., a consulting engineer of Spokane, Washington, who was travelling in Germany with his sister when the war broke out.

Turkey to Remain Neutral, Envoy Says

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The Turkish Ambassador assured the British Foreign Office today that Turkey will remain neutral.

British Troops at Tien-Tsin on Move

SHANGHAI, China, Aug. 19.—The British troops at Tien-Tsin today received marching orders.

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FRIDAY MORNING THE NEW THINGS

MRS. OSCAR ISAIGI of Beacon street, whose strongbox in her Summer home "Clovercroft," in Stockbridge, was robbed of jewels worth $25,000.

STOCKBRIDGE, Aug. 19.—Widespread search was made today for the daring burglars who stole jewels valued at $25,000 from a small strongbox at Clovercroft, the Summer home of Mrs. Oscar Isaigi of No. 76 Beacon street, Boston.

The valuables, which Mrs. Isaigi declines to enumerate until she has conferred with State and private detectives today, are known to include a number of wedding gifts belonging to Mrs. William Marshall Bullitt of Louisville, formerly Miss Nora Isaigi, who is spending the Summer with her mother.

In the opinion of the local police, experienced safe breakers are responsible for the theft, which, they maintain, took place as the family was at dinner. The robbery was discovered by Mrs. Isaigi.

Every screen in the house was intact. No footprints could be found upon the lawn that might have been made by intruders in their escape. The servants declared they had seen no suspicious characters about the house.

The mystery created by this complete absence of clews is heightened by the fact that the safe stood in Mrs. Isaigi's bedroom, which was not disturbed in any other particular. She heard no unusual sound during the night.

LORRAINE TOWNS TAKEN BY FRANCE

By FRANKLIN P. MERRICK.

Staff Correspondent of the American.

PARIS, Aug. 19.—The occupation of Saarburg and Pfalsburg in Lorraine by French troops was announced by the War Office today.

The German troops which occupied these town are reported to have fallen back toward Zabern at the entrance to a pass through the Vosges mountains. Both Saarburg and Pfalsburg lie on the railway line running westward from Strassburg, Capital of Alsace-Lorraine, to the French border. Pfalsburg is eight miles north of Saarburg on a spur on the main railroad line.

Pfalsburg, which rests upon a lofty plain, is historic ground, the garrison having held out for four months against the Germans in the Franco-Prussian war. The statue of Marshal Mouton of Napoleon's staff, was decorated with the tri-color of France when the French took possession of the town.

GREMANS FALL BACK.

The French War Office announces that the campaign in Lorraine is proceeding successfully. The statement says:

"The German troops are falling back to Zabern with the evident intention of defending the pass which leads to Strassburg. Our troops are displaying great gallantry as they continue to press forward upon the enemy. The result of conflicts where the Germans have shown resistance has shown the superiority of our artillery. The spirit of the French army has exhibited deeper loyalty and patriotism than that of the enemy. The French troops are being received with acclaim by the populace."

The cordiality of the population of the western part of Alsace-Lorraine to the French was to have been expected, owing to the fact that it was only forty-four years ago when Germany wrenched this territory from France.

AVIATOR CAPTURED.

The first statement from the French War Office in forty-eight hours relative to affairs in Belgium was given out this afternoon, but it did not contain any information relative to the operations going on near Antwerp.

"A dispatch to the War Ministry says that near Dinant our troops brought to earth a German aeroplane. The pilot was killed, but the German officer who had been taking observations was made a prisoner. The machine was intact."

From all indications the French invasion of Germany includes two movements upon the strongly fortified city of Strassburg. One column which had crossed through the Vosges mountains at La Bonhomme and Ste. Marie Aux Mines is moving in a northeasterly direction through the Lauche Valley. Another column which crossed near Ruzingen, or Rechicourt, is advancing along a line which parallels the Rhine-Marne Canal and the railroad leading to Strassburg.

General Joffre reports that the Germans lost heavily at all points where they resisted the advance of the French.

It is probable that the northern column has for its objective the cutting of the railway lines running into Strassburg from the northeast.

BARBARITIES CHARGED.

Zabern, which guards the pass which must be forced in order to allow the French column to get east of the northern-most ridges of the Vosges, is a point of high strategic importance. It lies on the River Zorn, an affluent of the Rhine, and is intersected by the Rhine-Marne canal. Through the defile which it guards pass both the canal and the railway line. Zabern is twenty miles northwest of Strassburg and has a strong fortress.

Dispatches from the scene of action along the Lorraine and Alsatian borders charge the Germans with committing barbarities upon the French populace before falling back. The prefect of the department of Meurthe-et-Moselle, in telegraphing to the Minister of the Interior, says that he has paid visits to the communities raided by the German Uhlans and that it is impossible to enumerate all the savage acts committed by the Germans. Men, women and children were slain by the Germans without cause, he says.

Strassburg has always been regarded as a place of the utmost strategic importance. The fortifications there were much strengthened by the French, who constituted Strassburg their third great arsenal. The siege of 1870 began on August 12 and five days later a bombardment was commenced, which was kept up almost without intermission until the town capitulated on September 27. The Germans have been constantly strengthening the works about the city, which are five miles distant. The space enclosed by the inner ramparts is almost thrice the area of the former town.

It will require the heaviest artillery and the most expert gunners in the French army to reduce the powerful forts around this city.

Russians Invade Austrian Provinces

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 19.—Invasion of the Austrian provinces of Bukovina and Galicia by "several divisions" of Russian troops was announced by the general staff today.

A Russian division consists of 12,000 men, and it is believed that the invading army consists at least of 72,000 infantry and cavalry, supported by artillery.

The general staff stated that part of the army had penetrated Galicia after entering Bukovina north of the Seroth River and that the rest of the troops were marching upon Czernowitz, capital of Bukovina.

Russians Capture 60 German Steamers

ARCHANGEL, Aug. 19.—More than sixty German steamers, lying in the White Sea, have been captured by Russian warships, according to a Norwegian steamer captain who arrived here today.

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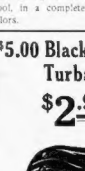

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WALTER MOHR IS WINNER OVER CHARLEY BEYERS IN STAR BOUT AT ATLAS A. A.

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

BIG FOUR CHAMPIONSHIP SPRINT MATCH AT BEACH OVAL AGAIN HELD OVER BY RAIN

MOHR DEFEATS BEYERS IN GO AT ATLAS A. A.

By JACK CONWAY.

WALTER MOHR, the nineteen-year-old Brooklyn boxer, is today parading around town challenging the noble New England lightweights. Mohr added another victory to his already lengthy list when he easily defeated Charley Beyers of the South End in a ten-round tussle at the Atlas A. A. last night.

Mohr outclassed Beyers and won by a comfortable margin. The contest was not a thrilling affair, but there was enough action crowded into the ten stanzas to keep the fans interested until the bell sounded at the end of the final frame.

Beyers did not lack backers before the whirl started, as he held Frankie Mack of Beachmont to a draw at the Arena last week. His admirers were confident that his ability to land smashing punches would enable him to conquer Mohr.

The Brooklyn boy, however, upset Beyers' plans. He boxed cleverly the greater part of the time, jabbing the South End youth with his left and then crossing his right to his opponent's jaw. During the latter part of the "go," Mohr opened up more and proved that he can fight as well as box. The last round was the best of the hour, and was crowded with action. Both boys tried to score a knockout, but Mohr had the best of the sledding and Referee Maffitt Flaherty's decision in his favor was a very popular one.

BILL MCKINNON, the veteran Roxbury lightweight, did his little "come-back" act as advertised. Will Ion was pitted against Jack Ryan of Kentucky and polished off the former tar to the queen's taste as was expected. The contest was stopped by the referee in the fifth round, when Ryan was completely beaten and on the verge of a knockout.

McKinnon knew too much about the boxing game for Ryan. He hit him at will and evaded most of the tar's well-meant punches. It was only a question of time when the Roxbury fighter would score a dream punch. Ryan is a hard-hitting fighter and he should not be discouraged because he lost to a boxer of McKinnon's experience.

THE much-heralded bout between Johnny Munice and Finney Boyle failed to materialize, both boxers are on the injured list and will be unable to perform within the hemp ropes for several weeks.

Joe White of South Boston and Battling Brennan, who hails from Dublin, N. H., were substituted for Munice and Boyle. Anderson outweighed White by about ten pounds, but the South Boston boy managed to win the decision. White, because of the forcing and landed the best punches. Anderson packs a sweet wallop in each hand, but within striking distance a few times and he refused to force the fighting.

PATSY GREEN won the feather-weight championship of Cambridge by defeating Tommy Flanagan. Flanagan did not start the fifth round as he said that he had broken one of his wrists. It was Green's right hand that scored with smashing left and right-hand blows and Flanagan was in poor condition when he went to his corner at the end of the fourth session.

AL MORTON will stage another series of bouts before the Manchester Sporting Club tonight. Eddie Murphy of South Boston and "Young" Lustig, the New York lightweight who held Marty Burke to a twelve-round draw last week, will meet in the feature event of twelve rounds. Frankie Nelson of New York was originally scheduled to exchange gamesome with Murphy, but he notified the management of the Manchester club that he is ill and Lustig was substituted in his particular idol. Lustig should give Murphy a merry battle, as he is a willing fighter and a fine boxer, as he proved when he fought Baldwin.

A GOOD preliminary card has been arranged. Joe Morton of Manchester will clash with Johnny Murphy, who hails from South Boston, in the second hall tussle of eight rounds. There will also be two six-round encounters. Willie Green of Dublin, N. H., will meet Frankie Bradley, who hails from Manchester, while "Young" Ritchie and "Young" Carpenter will engage in a battle for ring honors.

SAM LANGFORD and "Kid" Cotton have signed to meet in the feature bout of twelve rounds at the Atlas A. A. next Tuesday night. Cotton formerly acted as sparring partner to Jack Johnson. He is a big, powerful fellow and says that he will beat Langford, whom he claims is going back.

Resolute Hauled Up and Is Laid Away

BRISTOL, R. I., Aug. 18.—The cup defence sloop Resolute has been taken out of the water and laid away in one of the Herreshoff boat shops until next Spring.

The centreboard was removed from the casing before the yacht was hoisted on the cradle, to insure its safety, and then Resolute, with masts, sails and other gear dismantled and stored away, was placed in the centre of the south boat shed and supported with stays until she is needed once more in the defence of the America Cup.

Mother and Father Coach Son in Ring Go

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Battling Levinsky outpointed Sailor Fred Fritts in their second encounter at the Broadway Sporting Club in Brooklyn.

Joe Fox of Brooklyn, inspired by encouraging words from his father and mother, bested Tommy Moore of Providence in another ten-round bout.

Bringing Up Father

By George McManus

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BY GOLLY MAGGIE I'M NOT A SPARROW!
FREE LUNCH
I HOPE THE WAR DONT EFFECT CLANCYS PLACE!
I'M GOING TO DO THE MARKETING TO SEE WHAT WE DONT GET CHEATED!
AFTER ALL MAGGIE'S RIGHT AS LONG AS SHE IS GOIN TO CUT DOWN EXPENSES I'D BETTER STOP GOIN TO CLANCYS!
A SARDINE SIR YOUR WIFE ORDERED NO CHARGES ON IT SHE PAID CASH FOR IT
DID SHE ORDER ALL THAT WE MUST BE GOIN TO HAVE COMPANY
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Sidelights on Sports

By A. H. C. MITCHELL

MESSRS. Grim Asbury, Robbins and Johnson, Chicago baseball reporters in dwelling with the White Sox, are battle-scarred "war correspondents" who have seen some terrific but many ball games that, about this time of the year, they yawn and stretch themselves and long for the season to come to an end.

This being the game and there being no game at Fenway Park, what do you know about them hiking over to where the Braves' games are being played on a bulletin board and yelling themselves hoarse in rooting for Stallings' men?

It simply proves that the fight the Braves are putting up has stirred the entire baseball world.

MY esteemed con frere, Fred Hoey, tells me that seven of his friends have asked him to do what he can to secure them tickets to the world's series between the Braves and the Athletics. Can you beat it? The answer is: No!

AMONG those who are pulling hard for Chief Stallings and his men is James J. Callahan, manager of the Chicago White Sox. Yet Cal's interest in the outcome of the National League race is far different to that of the ordinary fan. Cal has a reason of his own and from a managerial standpoint it is a very good one.

"I AM ready to join the managers of ball clubs in raising a purse for the purpose of buying and presenting a loving cup to George Stallings," declared Callahan. "And my offer goes whether or not he wins the National League flag. Stallings is the greatest living discouragement of hesitancy on the part of able-bodied pitchers. He has shown that it is possible to win thirty out of thirty-six games with three boxmen working in turn. That fact ought to be a great asset to every big league manager. Although each club carries eight or ten pitchers, it is sometimes hard to find one who will admit that he is in condition to work.

"MANAGERS of other clubs may have told me that when one of their pitchers warms up in case he is needed to relieve the twirler that is working in the box and that same warming-up pitches the next day and loses, said pitcher will complain that he worked himself out the day before in the bull pen.

"Yes, sir, Stallings deserves the thanks of every manager for showing it is possible to win modern ball games regularly with only three pitchers.

"When I broke in, the old Chicago club carried four pitchers and before long Griffith and myself were working nearly every other day. Before my time pitchers like Ballbourne, Bond, Corcoran, Goldsmith and Mercer, mick used to pitch day after day. But the fashion changed until Stallings recalled the old-time stunts."

MY friend, Carroll Swan, Boston correspondent of the Skowhegan Weekly Bugle, says he has made a bet at even money that the Braves win the pennant.

Mr. Swan's enthusiasm, I fear, has led him to be too liberal with his opponent. From a purely betting standpoint, the man who fancies the Braves should receive considerably more than even money. He is betting on a team that is three games behind the leaders and the season only two-thirds gone. There are more than fifty games yet to be played by the Boston team, and many things may happen before the month of October rolls around.

STALLINGS had to loosen up on his pitchers and above young Richard Crispin of Louisville, Ky., in the box against the Reds in Cincinnati yesterday. It was rank hard luck for the youngster to lose the game, as he pitched straight ball. Dick Rudolph has to double-headers to play with the Western teams from now on, he will have to play steadily without a letup, on account of the Sunday games in the West. That Sabbath layoff the pitchers got here in Boston doesn't go on the Western circuit except in Pittsburgh.

THE Reds could do nothing with Crispin's twirling, and seven batters lazily left his offering. Smith pulled a fine throw, but Groh fielded it to Rudolph in time to force the runner. Neale hard to find one who will admit that he is in condition to work.

Tennis Stars Meet in Meadowbrook Play

MEADOWBROOK CLUB, SOUTHAMPTON, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Some of the most famous American tennis stars competed in the singles matches here for the Meadowbrook Club cup. The matches here act as a sort of preliminary for the national tournament to be held next week in Newport.

R. Lindley Murray, the youthful Canadian, defeated Clarence Hobart in straight sets in the second round and failed defeated Edmund W. Peabody in straight sets in the third round. R. McKim Miller won by default from R. Norris Williams, 2d, the Davis cup player.

Other winners in addition to Murray in the third elimination round were:

Harry S. Parker over Cortlandt M. Bull, Jr., 6-3, 6-2.

Robert Lenox over Lewis Graves, 6-4, 6-3.

Alfred S. Dodge over Fred T. Fearnside, 6-0, 6-2.

Howard Law over R. McKim Miller, 6-0, 7-5.

FOURTH ROUND.

R. Lindley Murray defeated H. Parker, 6-0, 6-0.

Want Saturday Game.

The White Bears of Roxbury would like to arrange a game for Saturday with some strong semi-professional team. Telephone Lawrence McCarty, Roxbury 1760.

English Billiard Star to Play Willie Hoppe

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Melbourne Inman, the English professional billiard champion, is here from London for his international match at American and English billiards with Willie Hoppe. The first of eleven scheduled games will be played in New York, on September 28.

The style of billiards for the first contest will be determined by a toss. Arrangements have been made calling for a series of 600 points each at the English billiards, and six session of 500 points each at the American game.

The men will play in this city, Chicago and Montreal.

Wishart Makes New Record in Auto Trial

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 19.—Spencer Wishart set a new record while practicing for the National road race to be held here Friday and Saturday. He circled the 3.9-mile course in 6 minutes 24 1-5 seconds, a rate of more than seventy-seven miles an hour. The previous record was held by Tetzlaff at 4:56.

Kirmayer Joins Giants.

DECATUR, Ill., Aug. 19.—Ollie Kirmayer, pitcher on the local team of the Three I League, has been sold to the New York National club. Kirmayer heads the list of pitchers in the league. He will report to the Giants at the close of the Three I League season in September.

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Big Handicap Wins for Aiken Tigers

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 19.—In the annual tournament at the Westchester Polo Club the Aiken Tigers beat Piping Rock in a well played game, 11½ to 4½. The victors were given five points handicap, proving too big a task for the Point Judith to overcome.

The Tigers played well together early in the game, but toward the latter part of the contest the fog came in on the field so that it was difficult to follow the ball, and this accounts in a large measure for the diminished scoring in the second half.

Fitchburg After Club.

An effort is being made by four Fitchburg business men, headed by Henry T. Wood, to purchase the franchise of the Manchester team of the New England League, so that they can transfer it back to Fitchburg.

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LOCAL GOLFERS IN FIGHT FOR NATIONAL TITLE

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.— Sixty-one golfers, representing half of the entry list for the national open golf championship, participated in the second elimination round of the big tournament at the Midlothian Country Club today.

J. A. Donaldson of Glenview was the first to tee off, closely followed by his playing partner, Jack Morton of the Peoria Golf Club. There was no delay in dispatching the field. The weather was ideal and lower scores than those made yesterday were expected.

Florence Quimet was again the centre of interest and a large gallery watched his play. He was paired with Herbert Fleisse of Inwood.

Three former national champions— J. J. McDermott, Fred McLeod and George Sargent—came in for much admiration. McLeod is a strong favorite for championship honors this year.

Three Massachusetts players were among the high six yesterday, Francis Quimet, Mike Brady and Alex Bess. Tom Kerrigan of Dedham finished third in the third eighth to six.

Quimet is playing in fine form and is a great favorite in this tournament. It is the first time that the youthful champion has played here.

Alex Bess, the professional of Dunbarton had a great chance to make to make a low score yesterday. After going out in 34, he required seven strokes for the thirteenth hole, with the result his 158 put him a tie for fourth place.

Today's Baseball Summary

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	74	46	.617
Boston	70	50	.583
Washington	67	51	.568
Detroit	66	54	.550
Chicago	58	61	.487
St. Louis	52	68	.433
Cleveland	48	72	.400
New York	46	73	.387

Yesterday's Results.

At Boston—Boston-Chicago (wet grounds).
At Philadelphia—First game: Detroit, 5; Philadelphia, 2. Second game: Philadelphia, 2; Detroit, 1.
At Washington—Washington, 6; St. Louis, 2.
At New York—Cleveland, 4; New York, 3.

Games Today.

Chicago at Boston (2 games).
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Rochester	68	46	.596
Providence	65	48	.575
Baltimore	64	48	.571
Toronto	60	53	.531
Buffalo	57	57	.500
Newark	52	62	.456
Richmond	51	63	.447
Montreal	49	64	.434
Jersey City	40	73	.354

Yesterday's Results.

At Providence—Providence 8, Toronto 5.
At Newark—Newark 3, Montreal 1.

Games Today.

Rochester at Baltimore.
Toronto at Newark.
Buffalo at Jersey City.
Richmond at Montreal.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Lawrence	69	42	.622
Worcester	61	44	.581
Lowell	61	46	.570
Lewiston	56	51	.523
Portland	51	57	.472
Haverhill	45	60	.429
Fall River	43	65	.398
Manchester	38	69	.355

Yesterday's Results.

At Lowell—Lowell 6, Lynn, 5.
At Haverhill—Haverhill, 3; Manchester, 0.
At Portland—Portland, 7; Lawrence, 6.
At Lewiston—Lewiston-Worcester (rain).

Games Today.

Lynn at Lowell.
Manchester at Haverhill.
Lawrence at Portland.
Worcester at Lewiston.

COLONIAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Fall River	72	50	.590
New Bedford	67	51	.568
Taunton	66	53	.555
Pawtucket	64	57	.529
Providence	58	61	.487
Brockton	43	76	.361

Yesterday's Results.

At Brockton—Fall River 3, Brockton 2 (first game). Fall River 4, Brockton 2 (second game).
At Pawtucket—Taunton 4, Pawtucket 3.
At Taunton—Taunton 9, New Bedford 1.

Games Today.

Providence at New Bedford.
Fall River at Woonsocket.
Taunton at Brockton.
Pawtucket at Lynn.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Yesterday's Results.

Nashville 6, Memphis 5.
Mobile 3, Montgomery 0.
Atlanta 4, Chattanooga 3.
Birmingham-New Orleans (rain).

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

At Springfield—Pittsfield 6, Springfield 0.
At New Britain—New Britain 5, Bridgeport 2.
At New London—New London 7, New Haven 1.
At Waterbury—Hartford 4, Waterbury 3.

Games Today.

Springfield at New London.
Hartford at Pittsfield.
New Haven at New Britain.
Bridgeport at Waterbury.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	70	47	.598
Boston	66	47	.584
Chicago	59	53	.527
Cincinnati	56	55	.505
Brooklyn	52	61	.460
Pittsburgh	48	63	.432
Philadelphia	44	67	.396
St. Louis	43	69	.384

Yesterday's Results.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 6; Boston, 1.
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 3; New York 1.
At Chicago—Chicago, 8; Brooklyn, 0.
At St. Louis—St. Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 2.

Games Today.

Boston at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Brooklyn at Chicago.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Indianapolis	74	46	.617
Chicago	69	48	.590
Brooklyn	64	48	.571
Baltimore	63	54	.538
Buffalo	57	59	.491
Kansas City	51	64	.443
St. Louis	49	69	.415
Pittsburgh	39	77	.336

Yesterday's Results.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 4, Pittsburgh, 3.
At Chicago—Richmond 5, Chicago, 4.
At St. Louis—Buffalo, 8; St. Louis, 3.
At Kansas City—First game: Kansas City, 4; Brooklyn, 3. Second game: Kansas City, 5; Brooklyn, 3.

Games Today.

Brooklyn at Kansas City.
Buffalo at St. Louis.
Baltimore at Chicago.
Pittsburgh at Indianapolis.

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

At Waterbury—Hartford 4, Waterbury 2.
At New Britain—New Britain 5, Bridgeport 2.
At Springfield—Pittsfield 6, Springfield 0.
At New London—New London 7, New Haven 1.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

At Memphis—Nashville 9, Memphis 2.
At Atlanta—Atlanta 4, Chattanooga 3.
At Mobile—Mobile 3, Montgomery 0.
At New Orleans—First game, Birmingham 7, New Orleans 0; second game, postponed, rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Milwaukee—Kansas City 3, Milwaukee 8 (called end 9th, darkness).
At Columbus—Columbus 2, Cleveland 1.
No other games scheduled.

Today's Golf Results

Tennis Stars Meet in Meadowbrook Play

MEADOWBROOK CLUB, SOUTHAMPTON, N. Y., Aug. 19.—Some of the most famous American tennis stars competed in the singles matches here for the Meadowbrook Club cup. The matches here act as a sort of preliminary for the national tournament to be held next week in Newport.

R. Lindley Murray, the youthful Canadian, defeated Clarence Hobart in straight sets in the second round and failed defeated Edmund W. Peabody in straight sets in the third round. R. McKim Miller won by default from R. Norris Williams, 2d, the Davis cup player.

Other winners in addition to Murray in the third elimination round were:

Harry S. Parker over Cortlandt M. Bull, Jr., 6-3, 6-2.

Robert Lenox over Lewis Graves, 6-4, 6-3.

Alfred S. Dodge over Fred T. Fearnside, 6-0, 6-2.

Howard Law over R. McKim Miller, 6-0, 7-5.

FOURTH ROUND.

R. Lindley Murray defeated H. Parker, 6-0, 6-0.

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Comiskey and Navin to Buy Buffalo Club

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—A new plan became known here whereby the International League may be strengthened in 1915. According to rumors afloat in inside baseball circles President Navin of the Detroit Americans and President Comiskey of the White Sox will likely purchase the Buffalo International franchise from President Stein. The franchise has been for sale since last Winter. Also, the plan includes the purchasing of the Baltimore International franchise by Ned Hanlon.

It is thought that Navin disposed of his Providence international holdings with the idea of becoming interested in the Buffalo franchise with Comiskey. It is said that Comiskey intended purchasing the Buffalo franchise last Winter and would have except for the birth of the Federal League. Upon returning from the world tour and learning that the Feds had invaded Buffalo, Comiskey concluded that the Buffalo International franchise would be worthless. Hence the proposed deal fell through.

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Young Kerrigan Too Much for R. Ouimet

George Kerrigan, the fourteen-year-old Wollaston caddy, pinned a second defeat on Raymond Ouimet, junior Massachusetts champion and brother of Francis Ouimet, national open champion, on the Woodland Golf Club links, winning in an 18-hole match by 2 up.

Hard Fight Over Brown.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—Every effort will be made to retain Mordecai Brown as a pitcher for the St. Louis Federals, said President Steininger of the local club today. If he accepts, he will be paid his present managerial salary. If Brown refuses to play with St. Louis, he will be traded to some other Federal League club.

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Mother and Father Coach Son in Ring Go

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Battling Levinsky outpointed Sailor Fred Fritts in their second encounter at the Broadway Sporting Club in Brooklyn.

Joe Fox of Brooklyn, inspired by encouraging words from his father and mother, bested Tommy Moore of Providence in another ten-round bout.

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SILK HAT HARRY'S DIVORCE SUIT

By TAD

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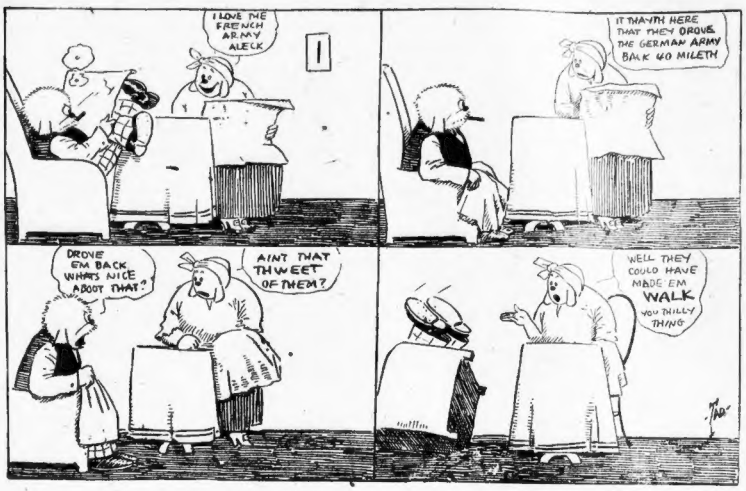
I LOVE ME FRENCH ARMY ALECK
IT THAYTH HERE THAT THEY ORDUR THE GERMAN ARMY BACK 60 MILETH
DRIVE 'EM BACK WHAT'S NICE ABOUT THAT?
AIN'T THAT THWEET OF THEM?
WELL THEY COULD HAVE MADE 'EM WALK YOU SILLY THING

THE MAN'S RIGHT THE MAN'S RIGHT
GIVE HIM A BLACK HAT HIS BRAINS ARE DEAD
ALL I HAVE TO DO IS TO SAY THE WORD AND JENNIE WOULD BE MINE FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE - JUST ONE WORD BOY THAT'S HOW STRONG I AM WITH THAT BROAD
IS THAT SO - SAY LAST NIGHT AT THE DANCE SHE WAS SQUEEZING MY HAND ALL THE TIME SHE WAS TALKING TO YOU - THAT DAME IS MINE AND OLD TIME I WANT HER
FUNNY THEY BOTH THINK SHE'S THEIRS - THAT'S A HIT WITH ME
YE-AH - I KNOW THAT SHE'S STUCK ON A LAUNDRY GUY ON 24TH ST
INDOOR SPORTS
LISTENING TO TWO GUYS BRAG ABOUT THEIR STANDING WITH A CERTAIN CHICK

BRAVES-REDS MEET IN FINAL BATTLE TODAY

By NICK FLATLEY.

Having a troublesome tooth pulled out is a very painful performance for the owner of said tooth. But he, or she, as the case may be, feels very much happier a short time after it's all over.

The Braves and that game they lost yesterday might be looked on in the same way. It hurt to drop it, especially as the Giants were losing, but it's a good thing to have out of the way.

No baseball team, particularly one made up of youngsters, can go on winning day after day without finally getting so tightened up that a little slip may cause a general smashup. That is, no team except the Athletics. They can do most anything.

So the Braves defeat should act as sort of a welcome letup for the Stallings stars and prime them to begin all over to wipe out the enemy, till the time comes along for another judicious loss.

FINAL WITH REDS TODAY.

The fact that the Giants were considerate enough to lose also, should keep the Boston players from worrying any about the slip. The gap is still that slight matter of three games and if the Braves keep on, losing but once every eight days or so, it will very shortly be closed.

For today's final battle with the Reds Lefty Tyler, here last week in two thrilling extra inning affairs in which he twirled shutout ball for twenty-three consecutive innings, is ready to perform once more.

Stallings, however, is quite likely to try out one of the less famous hurlers. Strand, who has finished up three games within as many weeks in whirlwind fashion, may be given a chance to go over the entire course, as may Otto Hess.

Red Ames, who stood off Tyler and the Braves in that memorable thirteen-inning fray at Walpole street last week, is due to try and get an even break for the Herzog Hopefuls.

GREAT CHANCE TO CLIMB.

A win today will give the Braves a great chance to be in line for a small gain—and they count nowadays—tomorrow, as the Giants take a day off, while the Climbers open with Pittsburgh.

The entire Pirates series, likewise, presents a very favorable opening for the Stallings stalwarts. All season long Clarke and company have been particularly soft picking, even in those almost forgotten days when the Braves occupied the cellar and the Pirates the attic.

After their one-day vacation, the leading Giants invade Cincinnati. When the Westerners were in the East, they took four out of five from the McGrawes, and really brought the latter back within batting distance of the Boston outfit.

Consequently, if the Braves show true form against the Pirates, and there's no reason in the world why they shouldn't, and the Reds polish off the Giants once again as they did a while ago, the end of the week may see the Braves finally actually landed on top or so close that there will be mighty little difference in their standing and that of the champions.

But all the fighting for the Braves is not ahead. Behind, the Cardinals and the Cubs are thundering along, ready to go up if there's the slightest leap. Today the leaders list as follows:

	Won.	Lost	Behind Leader.
New York	59	44	
Braves	56	47	3 games
Cardinals	59	52	4 games
Cubs	56	51	5 games

Which makes it apparent that the battle will be hot right down to the finish and the team with the staying power will eventually come out on top.

A look at the schedule promises some will dand woolly scrapping out there in the West with the start of next week.

The Braves go to Chicago and open a series August 24. The same day the Giants report in dear old San Looey. There you have the first four teams engaged in a very exclusive sort of a melee.

This interesting clash settled, the Braves will pitch hety tents in the present home of Hub Perdue, while the Giants jump over to the city which the Braves will have just left.

The seven days of baseball which the two sets of conflicts will use up, will undoubtedly have a mighty important bearing on the final settlement of matters.

If the Giants and Braves can push back the teams below, they will head for the East to fight it out on their own particular battlefields.

A sudden bump for either of the Eastern outfits, however, would leave the prize of victory between the East and the West. Or, further if both Western aggregations become suddenly full of the winning spirit, the scrap is liable to have nothing much whatever to do with the East. A more complicated baseball situation would be mighty hard to picture.

To come on ahead the Braves will have to keep going along at a great old pace, but for months now they have showed that they had the heart and the material to stand that pace.

RIVAL SOX MEET IN TWO GAMES TODAY

By A. H. C. MITCHELL.

The double-header at Fenway Park today will show the Sox teams—Red and White—in battle array.

The lines of the opposing forces will come together at 1:45 o'clock, and unlike the war on the other side the Fenway Park engagement can be seen for the small price of 25 cents and upward.

The cannon balls will be fired from the hands of Messrs. Wood and Leonard, of the Red Sox, and Messrs. Benz and Scott, of the White Sox. The battles promise to be hard fought, although it is not believed that the services of the ambulance corps will be required.

Owing to the disability of several members of the enemy thy will present a somewhat patched-up lineup. Collins, the Newton boy, has a bad leg and cannot play. Daly, the catcher, will doubtless be forced to cover an outfield position in place of Collins.

Bruton, the third-baseman, has a broken finger, and Berger will cover the bag. Faber, the pitcher, did not come with the team, but stopped off at Youngstown, Ohio, to see Bonesetter Reese. He will be along in a day or two.

As far as known the Red Sox have no cripples and Carrigan will be able to put his best team in the field. Carrigan has not given up hope of capturing the flag no matter what some of his players appear to think. The husky manager continues to work hard all the time.

O'Day Will Stick As Cubs' Manager

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 19.—There will be no change in the management of the Chicago Cubs this season, nor is Heinie Zimmerman for sale or trade.

This was announced by President Thomas of the Cubs when he arrived in Chicago from New York, where the Cub chief had been investigating the trouble between Frank Schulte and Manager O'Day, and to attend to several things of minor importance.

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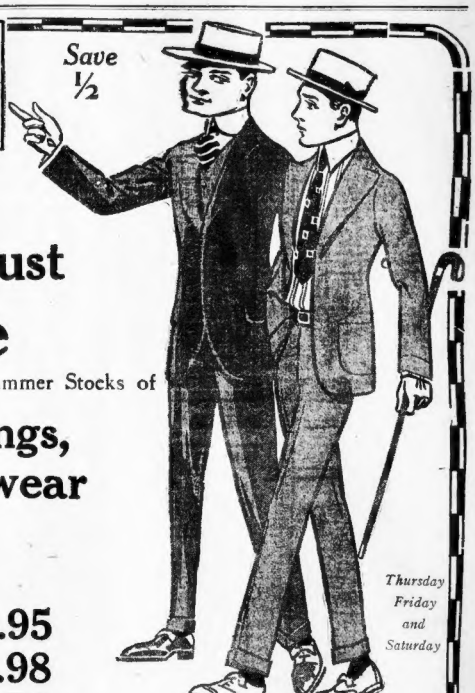

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2.50 Worsted Bathing Suits, in the popular two-piece style. Sale price	1.25
1.00 Cotton Bathing Suits, in the regular two-piece style. In this sale	50c
25c Pad Garters, good quality. To close out in this sale	12½c
25c Arm Elastics, the style that every man likes. Sale price	12½c
19c Mercerized Wash Ties, in a variety of smart new patterns. Sale price	9c

2.00 Straw Hats 38c
75c Summer Caps 38c

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1.00 Sneakers, in black and tan, with leather inner soles. Sale price	50c
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2.50 White Tennis Oxfords, white soles, good quality, all sizes up to 10. Extraordinary bargain at	1.19

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50c Thread Silk Half Hose, in plain colors; seconds. Sale price	20c
25c Fibre Silk Half Hose, in black only; seconds. Sale price	12½c
25c Half Hose, black, with split foot, medium weight. Sale price	12½c
1.00 Union Suits, Swiss ribbed, athletic style, in broken sizes. Sale price	39c
1.00 Union Suits, of nainsook, in slightly broken sizes. In this sale	49c
25c and 35c Shirts, of nainsook, athletic style. To close out in this sale, at	12½c

WEDNESDAY

Krazy Kat

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Off on Vacation

IGNATZ IM GOING ON A VACATION
HUH, ONLY LAZY PEOPLE WHAT NEED VACATIONS
1.
AND IM GOING TO HAVE SOME OF MY RELATIONS TAKE MY PLACE HERE, SOS YOU WONT BE LONESOME.
YES.
2.
TREAT THEM NICE.
OH, I WILL.
3.
I'LL TREAT 'EM NICE, DAH-GUNNEM - I'LL TREAT 'EM NICE - WITH BRICKS.
4.
WHAT'S THAT YOU SAID?
NOTHING.
5.

Mr. Dingbat practices for his thrilling trip—tomorrow.

THE DINGBAT FAMILY

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Dinny Is Going Into the Wilderness, Alone

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YO COCO! ALL BREWED
MASTER HIM, MISS MARY, TOBIAS, SELF, MRS DINGBAT AND GELATINA, THEIR FAITHFUL THOUGH UNBLEACHED ABIGAIL.
OFFICIAL PHOTO.
AR-RRRRR
THE IRON-HEARTED MAN DEMONSTRATING WITH THE BEAR-RUS WHAT HE WILL DO BARE HANDED TO ANY BEAR HE MAY CHANCE TO MEET IN THE WILDS.
I'LL TAKE YOUR WORD FOR IT DINNY
GO ON JOE - STICK YOUR HEAD IN -
THE MAGNIFICENT GENTLEMAN IS HERE SHOWING HOW HE WILL TRAP ANY WILD CARIBOU, OR UNTAMED STEER, OR SHELL-FISH JOE BEAMISH IS SEEN HERE PLAYING THE ANIMAL PART.
BORKI-POJO-
ANTE DILUVIAN LINGO
THIS IS HOW HE HOPES TO COME OUT OF THE WILDERNESS, A PRIMITIVE MAN, A "SAVAGE MONARCH."

ABIE THE AGENT

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Geography That's Useful, Milton Should Study

I DONT KNOW HOW LONG MINE BODY CAN STEND THIS WAR EXCITEMENT? I'M NEGLECTING MINE "COMPLEX" AUTO BUSINESS — BUT SUCH A WAR DONT COME EVERY SEASON — I'M THE WHOLE DAY BY THE BULLETINS, BUT I'M TOO SHORT — I CANT SEE NOTHING. BUT NOW I CAN SIT IN MINE OFFICE AND FIGURE IT OUT ALL ALONE BY MYSELF!
HURRY UP, MILTON, PULL DOWN QUICK THE PICTURES FROM WHAT'S OVER MINE DESK! I NEED THE SPACE
YES, MISTER KABIBBLE
YOURE TOO YOUNG TO KNOW ABOUT THE WAR, MILTON, SO GO AND DO YOUR WORK AND DONT WASTE NO TIME LOOKING ON THIS MEP!
I WONT
WHERE IS HERE THET TOWN LIEGEY ON THE MEP — IT DONT SAY
IN BELGIUM
BELGIUM? ALL RIGHT, ITS IN BELGIUM — BUT WHERE IS BELGIUM HERE?
NORTH EAST OF FRANCE!
DON'T BE A PUPLIC SCHOOL LOUD MOUTH, MILTON! STUDY UP BETTER HOW FAR IT IS FROM TOLEDO TO KENSAS CITY AND THEM KIND PLACES — LEARN "REVELING" SALESMENS GEOGRAPHY!
"HERSHFIELD"

JERRY ON THE JOB

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Well, of Course, It's Not Good Form to Be Too Forward

THINK OF FLASHING SABRES, GALLOPING HORSES, THUNDERING ARTILLERY, THE BLARE OF THE BUGLES AND THE MARTIAL MUSIC. THINK OF THE PATRIOTIC SPIRIT IN EACH MANS HEART. THINK OF THE STREAMING SHOT AND SHELL — GLORIOUS — THAT'S WHAT IT IS — GLORIOUS!
I'LL JUST PLANT MESELF OVER HERE ON THE PORCH AND UNSCRAMBLE THIS HERE WAR STUFF ONCE AND FOR ALL.
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POLLY AND HER PALS

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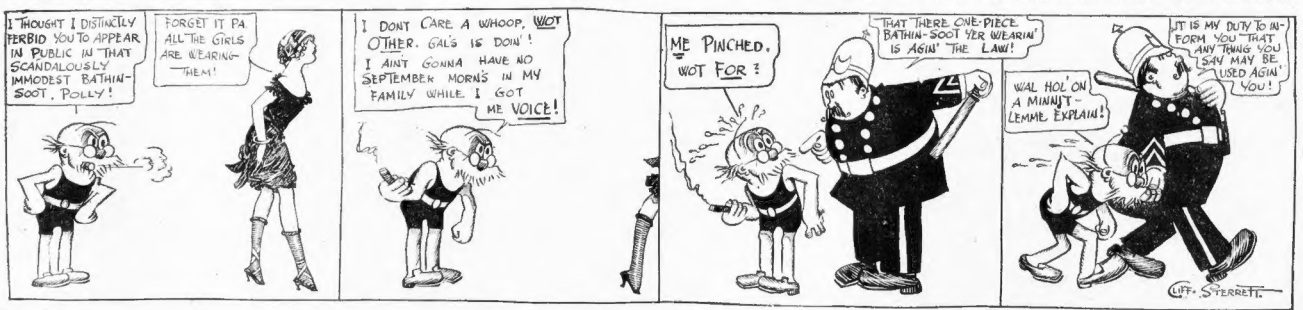
And It Was the Old Man Who Got Pinched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ME PINCHED, WOT FOR?
THAT THERE ONE-PIECE BATHIN-SOOT YER WEARIN' IS AGIN' THE LAW!
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GANGWAY!
TICKETS!
TIKI MAN
HEY SHRIMP, PLEASE TAKE OFF YER HAT, WE CANT SEE
I'LL LET YA OFF THIS TIME BUT DON'T TALK TO ME AGAIN
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YOU MADE A BLOOMER WHEN YOU LET EAGLEBEAK GO SKINNY!
I DIDN'T LET HIM GO HE'S WENT HISSELF!
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ANSWER TO-MORROW
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In the Web of Life

Constance Speaks Out Her Mind to Ralph Morton, but He Cleverly Keeps Edith in Ignorance

By VIRGINIA TERHUNE VAN DE WATER.

CHAPTER XXV.

"WHY so sad, fair lady?" Ralph Morton demanded teasingly.

He had driven his automobile close to the steps of the Hale home. Just above him stood Constance Medford, clipping the dried blossoms from a verandg box of plants. So absorbed did she appear to be in her task, or her own thoughts, that until he spoke she had betrayed no consciousness of Ralph's presence. When he greeted her, she lifted her head and looked at him coldly.

"Good morning!" she returned. "Edith will be down in a moment."

She bent again over the flower box while the man watched her, half amused, half vexed. He had for some time suspected that at least one member of the Hale household disliked him. The fact that she wished to avoid him did not daunt him now. It was too bright a morning for one to be downcast, and he was progressing too favorably in Edith's regards for him to be uncertain of his standing.

"But you haven't told me yet why you looked so depressed," he persisted with an ingratiating smile.

But the smile was lost on Constance, for she continued her work without looking up.

"If I am depressed," she said, "you must place the blame on the world, not on me."

"But it seems like a pretty good old world today," Ralph protested. "It surely can't be as rotten as you seem to think it is, Constance."

"Oh, the world itself is all right," responded the girl, brushing the soil from her finger-tips. "But some of the people in it are very hateful, as you phrase it."

Her eyes met his as she spoke and the man found himself slightly disconcerted by her grave gaze. To cover his embarrassment, he spoke unthinkingly.

A BOOMERANG

"Present company is always excepted in that indictment, of course," he rejoined inquiringly, still smiling.

"As you please," Constance replied. "There is an old maxim, with which you are doubtless familiar, about a guilty conscience needing no accuser. Whether it applies in this connection or not, you had better think it."

"I'm afraid I don't quite understand you, Constance," Ralph said with a ring of defiance in his voice.

She did not answer at once, but stood looking out over the sunny stretch of lawn. Her calm scarred across the grass and her eyes followed it. The man nothing of what she could not know that she was noting the beauty of the spring morning and of the flowers and shrubbery about how, in spite of all the lovely things in life, one was apt to find things tainted, and through no fault of his own. The remembrance of this gave her courage to say what was a part of what was in her mind as her eyes returned to her questioner's face.

"I'm afraid that you understand me only too well, Ralph," she said quietly. "I say 'afraid' because I love my cousin Edith, and also because on a morning like this I like to feel that all the world—all my world, at least— is clean and honest.

"And by that insinuation you mean what?" the man challenged angrily. His self-veiled insolence angered him on to learn the worst of her suspicions.

"Just what you think I mean," Constance continued in a steady voice. "I do not believe that your hands are clean in this affair about Tom Morton—since you press me for your their information. Nor do I believe that you have acted the part that an honorable man should act. I would not have said this on my own accord, Ralph, but "since you insist upon questioning me, I must be honest."

The man flushed, then grew pale. "That is, please remember, only your personal opinion, dear lady," he parried with attempted lightness. "Of course you have a right to it, no matter how uncomplimentary it may be to me. I have known for some time that you disliked me—were working against me. But when you are older and wiser, you may not be so ready to make use of a woman's privilege of insulting a man, unpunished. Nevertheless," he concluded with a sudden outburst of resentment and rage, "I should like to see the man who would dare say such a thing to me!"

"If that is really your desire," Constance replied, her voice and lips quivering slightly, "why not call on Tom, Ralph? He would gratify his less polite in his speech than I have been, but he is a man and a strong man. You would have no compunction with regard to sex to keep you from avenging the 'insult' then. Why not go to see him, Ralph?" she mocked. "He might be grateful for the chance of talking to you, face to face."

Her companion's eyes showed an evil gleam as he gave a short, ugly laugh.

WICKED WORDS

"Facts speak for more than girlish suspicions," he retorted. "Tom has nobody but himself to blame for what has occurred. If you know where he was on the night of Edith's engagement dinner you might not be so violent in your accusations of his cause."

The girl was frightened at the sudden spasm of wrath that gripped her. She felt her hands close upon each other suddenly, while red spots flashed before her eyes. She heard her own voice as if it were the voice of another person.

"You know that's a lie, Ralph Morton!" she cried, horrified. Her face was white as the morning gawn she wore.

Before Ralph could reply, the front door opened and Edith Hale hurried out upon the veranda, dressed for automobiling.

"Hello!" Ralph greeted her with a relieved laugh, alighting from the car and turning up the steps to meet her. "I'm glad you've come, for Constance and I have just been wrangling shockingly."

So natural was his manner that his companion looked at what she thought was his jest.

"Constance got awfully angry with me, too, a while ago—all I guess she's gotten over it—haven't you Constance?"

But Ralph did not allow Edith to wait long enough to hear her cousin's reply. He gave the attached face bent over the plants, but lifted the girl bodily into the car, then sprang in beside her.

"Sloodby, Constance!" he called back jauntily. The car rolled down the drive. But Constance Medford did not raise her head until the laughing hair were out of sight.

(To Be Continued.)

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Some Stunning Gowns

THE styles often seem to ignore the plump woman who is no longer in her first youth. The model to the right is a splendid one for the woman who weighs more than a hundred and confesses to more than nineteen. It is of maroon broadcloth, made in the popular "soutane" model. It falls into the underarm seams and falls in a full circular tunic that flares away from the coat-cut waist. This upper part is all in one piece like a well-fitted tailor-made coat. A sash falls about the hips. This and the square collar of the cloth topped by a round one of organdie are the sole ornaments. The sleeves are long and plain, and so is the tight little underskirt.

The girlish little garden party frock in the centre is adapted for vacation days. It is of white taffeta. A double flounce of mallne lace forms a fichu which crosses front and back. Below this the lace forms a tiny basque confined under a draped girdle of Nattier blue velvet. The fichu falls over this under a confining bunch of pink roses in a formal cubist design.

Navy blue satin is used to fashion the quaint frock at the left. The basque waist fastens in back with huge buttons and buttonholes for ornament and use. A long sleeve is fulled into a dropped armhole, and is cuffed in white organdie, which matches the vest and standing collar. The skirt is laid in inch-and-a-half flat side plaits.

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Little Bobbie's Pa

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

THARE was a man who calm to the house last nite to see Pa about the Eskimos. Sumbody had sent him to Pa for a Xpert, one of Pa's old frends, I suppose, beekaus the man with calm to see Pa sed that he had been sent by a very deer frend of Pa's, sum 1 by the name of Mr. Elija Blake. He was short & fat & he had side whiskers.

There must be a lot of nice men that wares side whiskers, maybee beekaus they have a scar an thare cheeks, but Pa doesn't like any man that wares them. I seen him looking at Elija's side whiskers & I knew rite away what he was thinking.

"My deer sir, Mister Blake sed to Pa, I was tool by sure frend that you was a man I was reading about how Doc Cook went find the North Pole. I can't imagine who cud have sent you to me."

Well, sed Elija Blake, I will tell you my misshun in a vary few words. I am the hed of the Society for Teeching Eskimos moar about our religion. They are a lot of ignorant heethen, sed Mr. Blake. Instead of spending the long cold nites reeding the gospel they are watching a hole in the ice and trying to kill a walrus. Instead of lerning how to sing sum of our butiful hymns, they are out sumwhere making a noise like a fish so they can lure a seal. It is all too bad, too terribul bad, sed Mister Blake.

Now, sed Mister Blake, we want to enlist the simpathy of our reverseres & attic men. I am to be the custodian of a fund gaily to us by the working girls, each of whom will like to do her little shair every week to spred the gospel. We have wrote a circular to bout five thousand working guls, asking them for the small sum of 20 cents each, the mulnee to go for the purchase of religus literatur to be sent to the frozen north for the benefited Eskimos to read during thare long, hard Winter. The munny is to be sent to me, but I thought it wud be best for me to hav the moral support of sum big business men, whose names I could print along with mine, so the guris will know that the munny they send me will be used in the proper way. I was thinking that on account of yure poolshun in the community, sed Mister Blake, that I cud count on you vice-presidunt of this little corporashun.

I see, sed Pa, you are going to ask five thousand working guris for 20 cents apiece, the trifling sum of a thousand dollars, the munny to be used in civilizing the Eskimos. You are a noabel man, arent you, sed Pa. Go & look at the pieter of Abraham Linkun, sed Pa, & then go and look at yureself in the glass. Why, you little runt, sed Pa, I have heard of men like you but never saw one beefore. Get out of this house beefour I pick you up between my thumb & finger and drop you down the elevator shaft.

But let me explain, sed Elija Blake.

There is nothing to explain, sed Pa. You want to be the speeding, with the accent on the cuss, of a thousand dollars donated by poor working girls. You want to teech the Eskimos to be sumthing besides heethen, sed Pa. Why, sed Pa, I wud rather be the worst heethen that ever heethed than such a little rat as you. There is the door, sed Pa. Now beat it!

& then Elija Blake went away from our house.

Cured Him

"Yes, said the man in the mackintosh, lighting another cigar, "it was one of the most remarkable cases I ever knew. Rheumatism twenty-five years—both shoulders—had to be fed like a child. Actually had hung helpless ever since I knew him—couldn't use in them whatever."

"And he was given without medicine?" asked the man who had his feet on the table.

"Yes."

"Or liniment?" inquired the man with the scotch hat.

"Or linaments."

"And he recovered the use of his arms in consequence of strong mental excitement, wasn't it?"

"Yes."

"I thought it. He was induced to believe he could be cured if only he made the effort, wasn't he?"

"I suppose so. Something or other of that nature."

"Then there's nothing strange about it. The theory of mental science is full of such cases. It was only an instance of what they call faith cure."

"No," said the man in the mackintosh, reflectively, "you would hardly call it that. The cure was effected on a man with a revolver who met him on a lonely road and said: 'Hold up your hands!' And he held them up."

Our Summer Show

OBSERVATIONS AS TO HOW WE HUMANS TAKE IT

By LILIAN LAUFERTY

The Summer season goes,
And mountains and lake and shore
Gaze on their moving shows
As many a year before.
We humans seek variety from dawn
to setting sun.
We clamor for "different" games and
things we ne'er have done.
We rack our nerves for "change"—
(That only makes life dear).
But we give the shore and the mountain range
The same show every year!

Some Men

Might prove good talkers if they could get good listeners.

Fall into ill health by too much raising of elbows to other men's good health.

Hate to give up anything; but some are wiser and are willing to go without all that is coming to them!

Seem to lose their memories the minute they borrow money from their friends.

Dare to take a kiss without asking for it; others ask for it and then don't dare take it. Puzzle, which is the type women admire?

It's Hard to Believe That—

WHAT you eat determines your color; but it's so, according to Bergfeld, a derman inventigator. Not necessarily that you yourself could effect any change in color, but your ancestors for thousands of years have unconsciously been influenced by the food they have eaten and the drinks they have drunk.

For instance, the original men were black, says Bergfeld. Their chief diet was of vegetables and fruits, he explains, and these same foods contain manganates that are not unlike iron. Dark browns and blacks result from this combination. It is a scientific fact that negroes who drink milk and eat meat are never as dark as those who eat vegetables.

He goes on to add that the Indian is red because for hundreds and perhaps thousands, of years he has taken into his system the haemoglobin or red material in the blood of animals which he has killed for food.

Again, Mongols are yellow because they have descended from races that were fruit-eating, and who, making their way into the deepest nooks and wides plains of Asia, developed into shepherds and lived largely on milk. Of course it is known that milk contains a certain percentage of chlorine, and has a decidedly bleaching effect. In the case of Caucasians, they are said to have become witte by adding salt to their food. Salt is a strong chloride, and powerful in bleaching the skin.

Fashion Note

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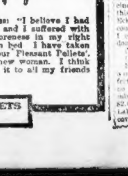

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Their Married Life

Helen Goes Back Home and Endures a Tiresome Railway Journey

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WARREN had decided to come home by train, and the day had turned out to be uncomfortably warm. At the place where they changed from the boat to the train, the heat seemed almost intolerable and the stuffy little train without a chair car was little better.

Helen fanned herself with a letter which she had taken out of her handbag, while Warren perused a timetable for the fifth time.

We have nearly an hour to wait for the other train," he remarked finally, "so we might as well have lunch there."

"All right, dear," said Helen, trying to force a little enthusiasm into her voice, "I think it will be nicer to do that than to wait on the train. I wonder if the brakeman could open this window for us. It would be so much cooler."

"I'll see if I can open it. What they want the windows closed for is more than I can imagine," and Warren tugged at the window, which resisted obstinately at first.

"Can we have this window open, conductor?" as the conductor came through and stopped to watch his efforts.

"I don't believe I can manage it for you," he said, obliging by coming into the seat and trying to force it open. Literally one of the windows in this train are ever opened, and they stick."

"Looks as if we'd have to give it up as a bad job," remarked Warren finally, and Helen smiled faintly at the humor of the situation, in spite of the fact that she had never been so uncomfortable in her life.

Warren had bought some magazines on the boat, and Helen took one up and began to look through it listlessly. She read the stories attracted her in spite of herself, and she began to read it more methodically, then with real interest, forgetting the heat of the day as she became engrossed in the plot. It was about a girl on a train, a girl who was of course unusually attractive, and whom circumstances had forced to travel alone. She was having a course of thrilling adventure, one of which concerned a good-looking young man and a lost dress suit case.

HUNT LUNCH COUNTER

The story ended in the conventional manner, and she had not enough ambition to begin another, so she rested her head against the hot red plush and closed her eyes. She had not slept very well last night, and the little train rocked gradually soothed her nerves. She had really been sound asleep when they reached the city, and it she followed Warren into the station she felt better.

"I'm hungry!" he said, turning as they waited to check their bags.

"Not very, dear. I'd like something cool, though."

"Worst thing in the world for you; you'll feel better when we've had some lunch. I don't think there's a restaurant connected with the station, but I'll find out."

In the station they found nothing but a lunch counter.

"There surely must be a place near the station where we could have a table," suggested Helen, who hated the idea of sitting up at the counter for anything to eat.

"We'll see what we can do. I'll ask this boy selling papers. He ought to know of some place."

"Say, sonny, do you know of a place near the station where we could get something to eat?"

"Well," he said finally, "there's a fine place around the corner where they have tables, owned by Holman. It's right over the door."

Warren handed the boy a dime and he walked in the direction. It wasn't very hard to find, for as soon as they reached the end of the block they could see a sign at them from a large awning.

"Might as well try it, I suppose; the hoods are nowhere near the station."

The place was filled with business men and there was only one other woman in the place, but Helen and Warren were shown to a small table in the corner with an electric fan buzzing away overhead, and a dirty waiter came up in a few minutes and briskly asked what they would have to eat.

"I'm hungry," declared Warren; "guess I'll have a steak and some French fried potatoes."

The thought of hot food made Helen almost faint; she didn't feel as if she could eat a thing.

"What'll you have—a salad? All right, that's better for you anyway; sure that's enough?"

"A club sandwich," turning to the waiter, "and some hot tea. I guess that's all?"

"You're not going to have any of that iced stuff," in answer to Helen's protests. "Drink some water if you want it, but you're going to have some hot tea; then you can tell me if you don't feel better."

Their order came and Warren began to eat heartily. No amount of hot weather could stop him on the eating question. Helen ate her club sandwich with real enjoyment and began to feel better. Warren insisted on the cup of hot tea, and although it made her very warm for a few minutes she was glad after a while that Warren had ordered it. He drank hot coffee himself and told Helen he felt ten per cent. cooler when he was through.

"Pay at the desk," said the little waitress, picking up Helen's gloves which had fallen to the floor, and Warren left a substantial tip under his plate as they rose to go.

"Good service," he remarked to Helen as they strolled slowly up to the station, "and as good a little meal as I've had in some time for the money."

MUCH NICER

"Much nicer than eating at a lunch counter, don't you think so, Warren?"

"They're not so bad; lots of women eat there, nice women, too," noting Helen's incredulous smile; "that's a fact."

"But it looks so public. I should think they'd build a really nice restaurant at a large station like this; it would pay."

"I don't know as it would. Most people are willing to take a bite at the lunch counter if they don't eat on the train. A large restaurant might be a drag on their hands."

They had entered the station and Helen sat down and waited while Warren went over to get seats in the chair car. He came back in a few moments with their bags and announced that their train could be in soon.

"We might as well go out. I'm not sure where the trains come in, and there's no need of losing any time looking for the right platform.

There was quite a crowd waiting for the express, which came thundering in a few minutes later, and Helen, wondered where they had all gone, for the chair car was nearly empty.

"A great many of them get off early and don't go through to Albany," Warren explained. "Are you comfortable? We ought to have a pretty good trip. I'm going to try to get a little sleep."

"This series, with its fascinating human note, will be continued on this page soon."

Quite Beside the Point

A woman married, and deserted fifteen years ago by everything but her husband. She says she has only just remembered that she loved him. In the case of a husband who is short of all these little things, she was happy at the time. Besides, why couldn't he have asked her? Men are so unreasonable!

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WHEAT IS A 'GOOD TIMES' BAROMETER

By W. H. ROSS.
Financial Editor.

A prosperous Autumn season is looked forward to in this country and before long, according to indications, trade in many lines will experience a boom. Heavy grain shipments seem inevitable. It is estimated that at least 6,000,000 bushels will be sent to Europe this week, which would quadruple last week's record. Five steamships are to leave Boston with 600,000 bushels, Galveston expects to ship at least 1,000,000 and a number of wheat laden vessels will sail from New York, with other ports to be heard from. Buffalo elevators for the seaboard have been resumed on a large scale, banks are buying grain bills more freely. All this is of the utmost importance, as what Europe will have to pay this country for foodstuffs will wholely or largely offset our foreign obligations. It will bring back what gold as part with now in the process of liquidating foreign debts.

SO, AMERICANS BUYING HERE.

All that is needed, it is stated, to at once accommodate business this country's trade with South American countries is more ships for cargoes. One statement is that steamships at present running between North and South American ports cannot handle one-tenth of the goods needed in Latin America. The cessation of commerce between Europe and South America has given the United States command of one of the greatest of the world's markets without an effort. Merchants in the Southern Hemisphere are sending orders to New York in an unheard of volume.

TO BUY FRENCH GOODS.

Now that safe navigation of the Atlantic is expected ships taking cargoes from this country to Europe will seek what return freight is available. This will swell this country's custom receipts to some extent. It was stated in New York this morning that the French are trying to maintain some industrial activity, even while their country is waging a war for existence as a first class power, and that through the American Chamber of Commerce in Paris, orders have been obtained from the United States for goods valued at $60,000,000 which can be made especially by women. A partial resumption of the import trade with the United Kingdom is also looked for as soon as the food fleet gets underway. Home industries are picking up. Steel is as much in demand as ever, and manufacturers are getting inquiries to a most encouraging extent. There has been a great deal of worry as to where a supply of ferro manganese is to be obtained, but according to the Daily Iron Trade English shippers announce themselves ready to furnish what is needed at about $2.50 advance over contract prices on order that will soon be covered. The latest advance in the price of wheat is evidence of an improvement in conditions governing both importing and exporting.

STOCK MARKET SITUATION.

There is no change in the stock market situation and there may be none for some time. It depends upon what the war develops. But in London, New York, Boston and other centres matters are being so adjusted that when the time comes exchanges can reopen in an advantageous way. In New York, it is reported, 97 per cent. of the clearing house transactions between members of the stock exchange have been settled. The committee which has inquired into their financial condition has found the position of exchange houses much stronger than was expected. One of the governors is said to have remarked:

"When the market is reopened, the exchange will be in a stronger position than it has been in years, if not during the whole of its existence. We know where everyone stands, and just what everyone has been doing."

BIG WAR LOAN DEMAND.

It is cabled to Hearst newspapers from London that by discounting a huge amount of bills the Bank of England has released large sums to other banks. Therefore there is certain to be a heavy demand for the $75,000,000 British treasury bills to be offered today. This offering represents the first war loan.

The banking situation in this country has steadily improved and an indication of this is the amount of currency now being shipped from New York to the South and West to facilitate crop moving.

The Boston Stock Exchange's special committee which is regulating trading has given members the following notice:

"On and after August 18, members or their firms making transactions in listed stocks or bonds must furnish to the special committee of five daily, at close of business, a statement showing all purchases or sales of such securities and from whom purchased or to whom sold."

Carl Dreyfus Weds Sylvia S. Goulston

Carl Dreyfus of Boston and Brookline, chairman of the Massachusetts Training School trustees, Harvard '95, and vice-president of the Boston City Club, and Miss Sylvia S. Goulston of Brookline, Wellesley '11, were married today at the summer home in Swampscott of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Goulston.

Mrs. Dreyfus was associate editor of the "Legenda," the annual Wellesley senior publication; was in the Zeta Alpha Society and in college dramatics.

Mrs. Filene to Give Outing.

Mrs. A. Lincoln Filene will give an outing at Franklin Park tomorrow to nearly North End children, in memory of her mother, Mrs. Charles Wall.

AMERICAN IS PRAISED BY SHIPPING MEN

Boston coastwise shipping interests are jubilant over the defeat of the O'Gorman-Jones amendment to the emergency shipping bill. Those who have been watching the progress of the bill with fear and trembling, while the fate of American coastwise shipping hung in the balance, today praised the efforts of the Hearst newspapers to defeat the report of the intercoeanic canals committee.

General Hugh Bancroft, former chairman of the Port Directors, whose studies of ocean traffic have made him one of the foremost experts in America on that subject, said today:

The coastwise shipping interests are to be congratulated upon the friendship of Mr. Hearst as shown by his papers in the fight against the amendments to the House bill proposed by Senator O'Gorman and his colleagues on the intercoeanic canals committee. I have always found the Boston AMERICAN eager to promote Boston's water commerce and have counted on its support in every crisis.

The proposed amendments were utterly wicked and vicious. They were the result of a discreditable effort on the part of their proponents to introduce into a war and emergency measure a fundamental change in our coastwise shipping laws—a change that would have depreciated millions of dollars in the value of property and thrown our coastwise traffic into the hands of foreign companies."

Other leading traffic men were pleased with the defeat of the Senate amendments and expressed their gratitude to the AMERICAN and the other Hearst's papers for the fight made against them.

The bill, as it passed the House and finally passed the Senate, authorizes the President to admit foreign built ships, under certain restrictions, to American registry. The Senate amendments, fathered by Senator O'Gorman, Borah, Jones and others, threw the coastwise traffic of America open to the ships of the world. It was universally acclaimed today by shipping men that the passage of the amendments spelled ruin to American coastwise shipping and the loss of hundreds of millions of dollars in investments.

Lockjaw Fatal to Medford Youngster

Joseph Reynolds, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Reynolds of Medford, died today at the Massachusetts General Hospital from lockjaw. He was injured while playing near the family's Summer camp at Silver Lake, Wilmington, the boy's foot being cut by a piece of wood, and later tetanus set in.

Girl Married to Alleged Assailant

When Orton M. Moseley of Medford appeared in the Malden court today to face a charge of striking Gertrude C. Rich of the same city the police were surprised when no prosecution. They were told that now the warrant was sworn out, Moseley and the girl complainant had been married. The bride was not in court.

Police Rush to Stop Law's Tower Jump

A voice over the telephone early today, which notified police headquarters that Edward Law, aged 21, Law, the parachute jumper, was asked for police protection when its owner jumped from the top of the new custom house tower, resulted in the rush of a detail from City Hall station to prevent the leap.

ENTRIES CLOSE TODAY FOR BIG AMERICAN SWIM

Alexander A. Lawrence and A. C. Wignall of the Life Saving Service Company today volunteered to be on hand with two lungmotors for service in case of accidents during the coming carnival of the AMERICAN, to be held in the Charles River Basin, Saturday from 2 to 6 p. m.

The lungmotor is the most recent appliance for inducing breathing in drowning victims and is used by the United States government and by many large corporations.

The feature of the carnival will be the great race in which more than 100 girls will compete. Entries for this race should be made before 6 p. m. today. The race is exclusively for girls.

Miss Mabel Reagan, thirteen, of No. 32 Dunlow street, Roxbury; Rose Fitzgerald, fifteen, No. 50 Terrace street, Roxbury, and Catherine Murphy, fifteen No. 535 Adams street Dorchester entered their names today. Other new entries were: Frances Davis, thirteen, No. 172 Ethelton street, North End; Myrtle MacCandlish, sixteen, No. 1010 Washington street Neponset; Doris Scott, fifteen No. 68 Market square, West Lynn. The complete list of entries will be published later.

Ship's Baker Hurt in Row Over War

Members of the crew aboard the United Fruit steamer Tivives, now docked at Long wharf, had a little international warfare all their own down on Atlantic avenue with the result that John Gray, the baker aboard ship, an Englishman, is at the Relief Hospital suffering from many minor injuries. An argument arose over the European war. Cooks, stewards, waiters and a cabin boy took part. The police today are looking for John's assailant.

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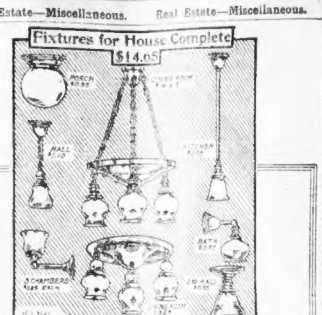

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A Question for Chicago's Newspapers

Particularly Those That Opposed the Upbuilding of an American Merchant Marine and the Free Use of an American Canal for American Ships.

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Some time ago this newspaper, which for many years has striven to promote the building of American merchant ships, strove also to secure for coastwise shipping in this country free use of the Panama Canal.

This effort was successfully opposed by certain Chicago newspapers—what do they think about their opposition now?

They took the ground that **THEY, AND ALL THE MIDDLE WEST, HAD NO INTEREST IN "A SHIPPING TRUST," AS THEY WERE PLEASED TO CALL IT.**

They opposed the free use of the Canal, and belittled any attempt to encourage American shipping or build up a mercantile navy on the ground that the Middle West was not interested in any navy, and did not propose to pay taxes for a Canal that American ships might use free.

What do the Chicago newspapers and others that imitated their unpatriotic, short-sighted policy think **NOW** about the need of American merchant ships and the propriety of making some little sacrifice to encourage American shipping?

Would it not be an excellent thing if we had a big navy of our own **FLYING THE AMERICAN FLAG** to carry and deliver and sell in Europe **THE PRODUCTS OF THAT MIDDLE WEST?**

Is it not a mistake for any citizen of a country to sneer at the effort to benefit another citizen?

Was it not stupidly harmful as well as unpatriotic and mean-spirited for Chicago newspapers to oppose the free use of an American Canal by American ships on the ground that the Middle West doesn't build ships, and doesn't care what happens to Americans that DO build ships?

The "I-told-you-so" spirit is not admirable. But it is desirable that provincialism, narrowness, the feeling that used to keep the little man from helping the big man, the little village from helping the big city, and the stage coach from helping the railroad, should not find expression in as big a city as Chicago.

The country realizes now that of all parts of this country **THE MIDDLE WEST MORE THAN ANY OTHER NEEDS AMERICAN SHIPPING.**

You can't **SELL** what you can't transport. You can't tell when war will come.

You can't deliver your grain and your corn to Europe if you haven't got the ships to deliver it.

Let us hope that hereafter, when the question of American shipping is mentioned, the newspapers of Chicago will know better than to discourage American shipping on the ground that ships do not interest "**THE MIDDLE WEST.**"

"I Weigh Nothing," Said the Little Boy

He Didn't Have a Penny, and There Was Profound Philosophy in His Words

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Perry Lukens, one of our readers, sends in the best editorial that we have seen in a long while.

It is a description in few words:

"A little boy the other day stood on a weighing machine. And I heard him say, 'I don't weigh anything,' because he did not have a penny to put in the slot.

"How this applies to every-day life when a man hasn't anything.

"NO MONEY—therefore he does not weigh anything. Can you not write an editorial apropos of this story of the little boy?

No need to write an editorial—it is all there.

In this civilization you **WEIGH** what you **OWN**

The soul has no weight, kindness has no weight, gentleness, unselfishness **WEIGH NOTHING**

Money weighs.

The philosophy of life in this selfish civilization was all expressed unconsciously by the little boy.

He had seen the fat man get on, drop his penny—and the needle moved.

He had seen the thin woman drop her penny, and again the needle moved.

Then **HE** got on.

And he didn't have a penny, and he weighed nothing.

Let us hope that after this world there is another, in which the body will weigh less, the penny have less power and the soul and the spirit possess weight.

The Broken Teddy

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

"My Teddy Bear is awful sick,"
The little girlie said.
"My sister hit him with a stick
And bore his little head.
She hit him most ten times, about.
He can't get well no more
Because she knocked his stuffing out
And throwed him on the floor."

And then I fell to wondering
As grown-ups sometimes do,
About the cares of Teddy Bears
And other Teddies, too.
And I have not the slightest doubt
That one who worships fame,
When once his stuffing's been knocked out,
Can never beat the game.

Europe, the Mother

What Have You Done With My Boy?

The Bungalows

By T. E. Powers

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PARDON ME MR BUNGALOW THE CHEF SAYS HE WANTS THEM SIDE DISHES BACK HE'S ABOUT TO SCOOP UP THE FOOD!
AEROPLANES
HERE THE SALT IS OUT-FLANKING THE BUTTER THE PEPPER IS MAKING A FRONTAL ATTACK ON THE MUSTARD-THE GREAT FLANK MOVEMENT WILL BEGIN HERE
ISNT IT WONDERFUL YOU WOULD MAKE A GREAT GENERAL DONT FORGET TO BRING HOME MY NEW HAT
T.E. POWERS

WANTED---A HUSBAND!

Women Who Take a Chance on Matrimonial Agencies Offer Splendid Field for the Fool Killer

By DOROTHY DIX

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I GET a great many letters from women who say that they would like to get married, and ask me if I can recommend them to some reliable matrimonial agency.

When I get these letters I always wonder what has become of the fool killer, and why he has knocked off business when his services are so pressingly demanded.

For, if men and women who have gotten married after years of acquaintance with each other clog up the divorce courts with their troubles, as they do, what chance of getting along happily together have the couple who marry the first time they meet, and who pick each other out in the railroad station by means of a white rose worn on the left shoulder?

Marriages may not be made in Heaven, as the poets aver, but assuredly the right sort of marriages are not manufactured by matrimonial agencies.

The spectacle of a woman's heart hungry for love, wanting a home, and husband, and children, and the normal life of woman, who has been passed over by all the men in her community, turning in desperation to an agency to find a mate for her is both humorous and piteous.

One doesn't know whether to laugh or cry over the simplicity and credulity of a grown woman who is naive enough to believe that a matrimonial agency keeps good husbands in stock, as a grocer keeps a standard brand of sweetmeats. It is almost hilariously funny that any woman could be so easily duped and fall so readily for such a transparent swindle.

And it is pathetically incredible that any woman could be stupid enough not to know that there is no man who is fit to marry who cannot find some woman among his acquaintances for a wife. No respectable man who can offer a woman a decent home, is ever reduced to the necessity of advertising for a wife. That alone should brand the matrimonial agency suitor as suspicious, and this is a fact so palpable that even a girl baby should have intelligence enough to perceive it.

Nevertheless, thousands of women shut their eyes and walk deliberately into the pitfalls that the matrimonial agency digs for their feet. In the case of almost every bigamist it has been found that the men recruited their victims from the ranks of the women who tried to get husbands through the matrimonial agencies.

These men made a business of marrying women who had a few thousand dollars, and of deserting them after they had robbed them of their little hoard of savings. And they located the female easy mark by means of her silly advertising, saying "that a handsome woman of thirty-five, having a small fortune, would like to meet a refined gentleman; object, matrimony."

Almost any day you can read of such cases, and yet there are still left fool women who want to know the address of a reliable matrimonial agency—as if such a crooked concern could possibly be straight.

It was through a matrimonial agency that Johann Hoch found the women he married and murdered. It was by advertising herself as a widow with a farm, who wanted to marry, that Mrs. Guinness lured her victims to their doom. The matrimonial agency is a cloak for murder, and the white slave trade, and no respectable woman should hold any dealings with it.

There is no descredit in a middle aged woman wanting to marry, nor is there any more reason why she should not try to find a good husband than there is why a middle aged and lonesome man should not try to find a good wife.

But the way to do it is neither by advertising in a matrimonial agency nor in answering advertisements. Instead of doing that, let the woman take her money and journey into a different environment.

It is very often the case that the men in a community are so familiar with a woman's charms and virtues that they have ceased to notice them, just as we cease to rave over the beautiful view we see every day. It is an axiom that men nearly always go away from home to marry. Strange faces attract them. A new feminine personality interests them.

Therefore the woman who finds herself unappreciated at home does well to move to another community, where she has at least the value of a fresh attraction. Many a New England old maid has found a good husband in California, and many California spinster charms a staid New England widower into marriage by her breezy Western frankness.

But these eligible men are never to be found in a matrimonial agency. As they say of the finer qualities of merchandise in the big department stores, "these bargains are NOT ADVERTISED."

"Mommer" Needs Some "Don'ts" Just as Much as Daughter

When "mommer" and "popper" go abroad, of course, not just now, but when there is no war on, they often act just a little gayer than they would in, say, Fitchburg.

Nothing really bad, you know, but it does make a bad impression.

You read the "don'ts" for girls in the **AMERICAN** last Sunday. Clever, weren't they? And the pictures, too. Rabajoi is a wonderful cartoonist.

They made "mommer" and "popper" smile. The laugh was on daughter, sure. But in next Sunday's **AMERICAN** the shoe is on the other foot, so to speak.

Why?

Because in next Sunday's AMERICAN Rabajoi tells with pen and pencil some of the things American parents do abroad which they shouldn't. Don't miss his "don'ts."

Incidentally, Rabajoi is at the front now, fighting with the French army. His last thought before he marched away was another "don't." He sent it by wireless.

You will find that wirelessed "DON'T" in the Sunday AMERICAN.

More Truth Than Poetry

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE

A Thousand to One Shot, Anyway

The aviators are taking big chances in the war, but they are used to that.

Hopeless

There are some fans who still read the baseball averages, but their cases have progressed so far that nothing can be done about them.

Enough Glory for All

Whatever are one's sympathies, he can always find that his side has been victorious if he will just read enough of the dispatches.

This Would Be Too Dreadful

We have heard a horrid rumor to the effect that the Dog's yodlers have been recalled to serve with the Swiss army.